THE WEATHER

The indications are that it will be fair tonight and Tuesday. It probably will be somewhat cooler; fresh westerly winds.

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DECISIVE BATTLE

JAPANESE ARMIES

Have Surrounded Kuropatkin's Army at Simoucheng

Russians Dumbfounded at the Large Armies Sent Against Them in all Directions—Intense Anxiety in St. Petersburg

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—3.50 p. m.—At last the decisive battle of the campaign seems to be in progress. Having completed his enveloping movement of the Russian position, General Kuroki had ordered simultaneously an advance from all points against Haicheng and Liao Yang.

Fighting is raging on both fronts and still continues. The latest reports contain nothing yet confirmatory of rumors that General Kuropatkin has been defeated.

According to Kuropatkin's official despatch to the emperor the battle began for the possession of the important position at Simouching, which is located at the juncture of the Fengwangcheng and Siuyen roads.

Two separate armies were launched from the east above the two roads while a third under General Oku, moved up east of the railroad from Tatchekiao, to try to cut off the Russian force there from Haicheng. If the latter move is successful, this force will be crushed.

A portion of General Kuroki's army at the same time advanced against General Count Keller's position at Ikhavuen, east of Liao Yang, trying the favorite Japanese plan of outflanking him on the right. Still further north on the Saimatsza-Liao Yang road, the Japanese moved forward against Houtsiatze (25 miles from Liao Yang). At all points the Japanese employed artillery to the best advantage.

General Kuropatkin's situation will be desperate in the event of his defeat. The keenest anxiety is felt at the war office for news of the progress of the battle.

The general staff seems utterly dumfounded at the number of men the Japanese possess and consequently Kuropatkin's statement that they are landing another heavy force at the port of New Chwang adds to the solicitude.

JAPANESE LANDING NEAR YIENKOW

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—The emperor today received the following despatch, dated July 31, from General Kuropatkin:

"Three Japanese armies have renewed offensive operations on our southern front. Our rear guard made an obstinate defence until the approach of superior forces of the enemy and then gradually retired in the direction of Haicheng. A detachment near Simoucheng, 15 miles southeast of Haicheng, successfully withstood the enemy until the afternoon.

"The attack was directed against our right flank which from its position at Kanhua pass inflicted great losses on the Japanese.

"The efforts of the Takushan army and Gen. Oku's army today are being mainly directed to cutting our communications between Simoucheng and Hacheng, their operations starting from a line traversing Yanshikan, Tapuntze and Liaobantz.

"On our eastern front the Japanese began the offensive this morning against our Ikhavuen position, the enemy's main concentration being against its right flank, which was turned.

"The enemy is also acting on the offensive between Liao Yang and Saimatsza (almost due north of Fengwang Cheng) against our troops posted at Houtsiatze (25 miles from Liao Yang.)

"Intelligence has been received of a considerable number of Japanese landing off Yienkow under the cover of several warships."

JAPANESE RETREATED FROM SIMOUCHENG

LIAO YANG, Saturday, July 30--(Delayed in transmission.)- Artillery firing occurred at Simoucheng yesterday. It is reported that the Japanese retired. Trains are running half way between Haicheng and Tatchekiao. The reports of skirmish fighting along all parts of the front are confirmed.

SITUATION AT FRONT REGARDED AS CRITICAL

ST. PETERSBURG, August 1, 3.35 a. m.—Although public attention has been distracted from the events of the war during the past week, first because of the fear of international complications and second because of the assassination of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve, the situation at the front is regarded as critical.

The enveloping movement of the three Japanese armies of Generals Kuroki, Nodzu and Oku around Gen. Kuropatkin's position appears to be almost complete, and the extended line of the Japanese seems to be the only drawback to concerted action. It is realized here that the Russian general must now either fight or withdraw the whole army northward. He is being closely pressed at Haicheng. At that place Gen. Kuroki's northern column makes it extremely dangerous to remain there, because, while holding the position to give battle against the Japanese, whose advance is notoriously always slow and careful, Gen. Kuroki might push through and cut his railway communications to Liaoyang.

While nothing definite is known, there are some unofficial indications that matters are rapidly maturing for either a battle or a retreat. For instance, the refusal to accept further press telegrams at Haicheng is shown by the fact that one of the correspondents of the Associated Press had to ride through to Mukden to file an account of the Tatchekiao fight. This might be construed either that preparations are making for a retirement or that the wires are very crowded, incident to a concentration at Haicheng or Liaocheng or Liaoyang.

A few days are expected to determine which course Gen. Kuropatkin has elected to pursue.

There is no inclination here to doubt that there may have been pretty severe fighting at the outer portions of Port Arthur, possibly accompanied by a bombardment from the sea, but it is not believed that the Japanese are yet ready to storm the fortress. Rear Admiral Withoft, in command of the naval forces at Port Arthur is relied on to put to sea after the condition of the fortress becomes desperate. While no definite information is obtainable, the report that the fortress is experiencing a shortness of ammunition is considered by the public as the most disquieting feature of the situation there.

The Vladivostok squadron is expected back in port today or tomorrow.

The indications are that the Battle squadron is on the eve of an important movement. Nothing regarding this can be ascertained officially but many of the officers already hav bade farewell to friends and families and are holding themselves ready for instant service. The emperor had arranged to inspect the squadron but his plan was given up owing to the assassination of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve.

CHARLES McCARTHY, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE LAWN PARTY.

BIG LAWN PARTY

AND ATHLETIC MEET IN AID OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The members of the Quality Hill track team defeated an aggregation of athletes of this city and Dracut going under the name of Collinsville, at Collinsville Saturday afternoon, the affair being held in conjunction with the annual lawn party of St. Mary's church in that village. Owing to the fact that six of the Quality Hill team were absent, that team had to work exceptionally hard in order to win. [illegible] and Dodge of the victorious team, however, did fine work, while Rynne, Burke and Campbell excelled for the vanquished team.

The summary of the events was as follows:

One mile—Won by Mozley, (Q. H.); Shafter, (Q. H.) second.

100 yard dash—Won by Lew (Q. H.); Brick, (C), second; Dodge, (Q. H.), third.

440 yard run—Won by Dodge, (Q. H.); Hugh Gorman, (C), second; Campbell (C.), third.

½ mile—Won by Mozley, (Q. H.); Shafter, (Q. H.) second; Patrick Gorman, (C.) third.

Running high jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Dodge, (Q. H.) second.

Running broad jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Fogg, (Q. H.) third.

Standing high jump—Won by Rynne, (C.); Dodge, (Q. H.) second.

Hop, step and jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Campbell, (C.) third.

Pole vault—Fogg of Quality Hill and Rynne of the Collinsville team tied for first. The points were divided, each taking 4½.

Shot put—Won by McDonald, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Rynne, (C.) third.

Total score—Quality Hill 49½, Collinsville, 40½.

After the track events the open events were pulled off, the 100 yards dash being especially interesting, Rynne and Lew fighting for the honors, the former winning by inches. The half mile open was won by Harry Mozley. The 100 yards dash for boys was won by Leo McCarthy and a second race of the same kind was won by Alex Harvey.

During the evening dancing was enjoyed by the younger element, and the various tables, which were presided over by a number of young men and women, did a thriving business.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

Great Interest in "Ho for the Beach"

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Lowell Branch of the United Irish League was held last evening at the headquarters of the organization in Barristers' hall. Richard J. Lyons presided. Reports were received from the picnic committee giving assurance that the outing would be a success.

It was stated by Chairman Michael Lee of the picnic committee that the league had made arrangements to have its headquarters during Thursday next—the day of the picnic—at the Hotel Pleasanton, Revere beach.

The American and Irish flags will be put out in honor of the occasion and a specially prepared shore dinner will be provided for about 200 members of the party.

It was also reported at last night's meeting that the national secretary, John O'Callaghan, and other members of the central branch will be guests of the league at the "Ho, for the Beach" picnic.

It was reported that the electric railroad officials could not handle more than one big excursion or picnic on the same day and in consequence the announcement that if rain should interfere with McManus picnic on Wednesday it would be postponed till the next day, is a mistake. Superintendent Lees states that if the children's picnic be postponed from Wednesday it must go over till Friday. The "Ho! for the Beach" will, therefore, be the only large picnic from Lowell on Thursday next.

The free tickets for the beach shows will be distributed to the passengers holding round trip tickets by General Manager Lee. It was announced that as many as possible should secure tickets by Wednesday night in order to avoid the rush Thursday morning. The cars will leave the square at 7 and the party should be on hand ten minutes earlier.

The members of the league were reminded that their presence was desired at the lawn party to be held tomorrow night as the premises of Mrs. Arthur Livesey, 27 Anderson street.

Miss Honan sang two selections which were warmly applauded.

Old Orchard is a beautiful resort for a day's outing. The round trip rate is $1.50 via the Boston & Maine railroad on August 11th.

AN OLD RESIDENT

Mrs. Sally B. Webster Aged 93, Dead

Mrs. Sally B. Webster, one of Dracut's oldest residents passed away last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin P. Fox, on Marsh Hill. The deceased was 93 years, six months and four days old at the time of her death. She was a native of Manchester, N. H., and lived for many years in Pelham, N. H., before moving to the home of her daughter in Dracut 14 years ago. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Fox and Miss Sarah J. Webster, one brother, John H. Baker of Hudson, N. H., and one sister, Julia A. Baker of Manchester, N. H.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Died, July 31, at Dracut, Mrs. Sally B. Webster, aged 93 years, six months and four days. Funeral will take place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin P. Fox, Marsh Hill, Dracut, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

BOOTT MILLS

ARE CLOSED FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST.

In accordance with the notices posted in the different departments last week the Boott mills closed today and will not reopen until the first of September.

SAFE WAS ROBBED

Clerk Charged With Larceny of Money and Checks

Harry M. Freed, charged with breaking and entering and larceny in the Bell Clothing company's store in Merrimack street, was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court today and through his counsel, D. J. Donahue, pleaded not guilty and waived reading of the complaint. He was ordered in $400 for his appearance before the court on Thursday morning.

The government alleges that Freed had a duplicate key made with which he gained entrance to the store. Mr. Zimmer, the Middle street locksmith, has identified Freed and the key. He made it for Freed, he said, several days ago.

The complainant, Samuel W. Levy, manager of the Bell Clothing company, alleges that $181, several checks, a mileage book and a trip book were taken from the safe. The checks, mileage book and trip book were returned, by mail, to Mr. Levy.

The breaking, entering and larceny were committed Thursday evening.

Harry M. Freed, the defendant, claims to be a member of the Bell Clothing company. That claim, however, is denied, but the fact is admitted that his mother has an interest in the business.

Freed's father, who died about a year ago in New York was a member of the Bell Clothing company and Harry M. Freed is the nephew of the present manager of the store, Samuel W. Levy. Fred has been hired as a salesman by the company.

August 11th is the date of the excursion to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

"THREE FRIENDS" OUTING.

The "Three Friends" held a picnic at Mount Nebo, Dracut, Saturday, that was attended by about 200 persons. There was a fine list of sports including a ball game between the Excelsiors and the Young Reds which the latter won 12 to 3.

"Hand Made."

POET 10¢ CIGAR NOTHING BETTER

"Union Made."

LATEST

THE STRIKE BROKEN

Claim of Chicago Packers Disputed by Strikers

CHICAGO, Aug. 1—Declaring the strike broken and that the working force had been recruited by more than 1,500 men and women, many of whom had deserted the union cause, the packers today began the week's operations with the largest receipts of livestock that have reached the stock yards since July 12, when the strike began. There were 915 cars carrying 25,000 cattle, 35,000 hogs and 17,000 sheep in the day's shipments from the west and with this supply the killing gangs in the big plants were busily occupied.

Swift and company declared that nearly all their old millwrights and car workers had returned to work, and further asserted that the firm never intends to take back striking teamsters or barn men, the claim being made that the packers had learned to do without wagons here. All shipments to Chicago branches will be made by railroad. Retailers will take their wagons to the branches for purchases.

Among the toilers who reached the stock yards today were one hundred colored women who were taken to Libby, McNeil and Libbys where they will do scrub work in place of the women who went on strike.

Assertions that the strike is broken were scouted by the strikers as being manifestly absurd.

IN POLICE COURT

Bell Clothing Company Had Two Cases

JUDGE HADLEY HANDED OUT DIRECT SENTENCES

To Young Men Who Committed Larceny

Samuel W. Levy of the Bell Clothing company was the complainant in two cases of larceny in police court today. Harry W. Freed was the defendant in one case and W. A. Foss in the other. The story of Freed's case appears in another column. Foss' case was settled, it being represented to the court that it was all due to a misunderstanding. The defendant gave Mr. Levy checks on a bank and later found that his deposit was exhausted. Lawyer C. A. McLellan of Brockton appeared for the defendant and the case was placed on file upon payment of costs.

PAWNED SISTER'S CLOAK.

Joseph F. Fontaine was charged with the larceny of a cloak, the property of his sister. He was found guilty and was sentenced to the house of correction for a term of five months. Fontaine wanted liquor and pawned the coat in order to get it.

THE COMMON JAIL.

J. Hugh Gallagher was walking along Lawrence street Saturday evening and William J. Hodigan accosted him and asked him for a match. Mr. Gallagher told him he didn't have any matches, but Hodigan refused to believe him and threatened to strike him. He made good his threat and struck Mr. Gallagher in the face. In police court today he pleaded guilty to assault and battery and drunkenness and was sentenced to three months in jail. Judge Hadley said he would teach drunken rowdies that they will not be allowed to assault persons in the street who have not, in any way, interferred with them.

HE PLEADED GUILTY.

Clinton M. Downs pleaded guilty to the larceny of carpenters' tools. It was his second time in court for larceny within a year. Judge Hadley sentenced him to the house of correction for a term of six months.

HE HAD AN AXE.

John Foula raised ructions in William street Sunday afternoon. He appeared in the street carrying an axe and he threatened to exterminate everything and everybody that crossed his path. He committed two or three trivial assaults and was finally arrested by Patrolman Crowley. In police court today he was fined $15.

MAN NOT ALL THERE.

Napoleon Ball, an old man with a scarred nose and weak mind, was charged with drunkenness. He denied the allegation and told rambling stories. The officers finally succeeded in learning that the old man came to Lowell from Lawrence. He said his home is in Lawrence but he had forgotten the name of the street. Judge Hadley instructed the probation officer to have the old man sent to Lawrence in the care of some responsible person.

OTHER DRUNKEN OFFENDERS.

John Buckley, workhouse, three months; James Meade, state farm; Patrick J. Smith whom Deputy Welch said was a deserter from the navy was ordered in $200 for his appearance before the court tomorrow morning.

Frank Desjaden and John J. Melvin were fined $6 each; Sylvester Carroll, James Lachance, Edward Boisvert and John F. Kelly were fined $5 each. Nine first offenders were fined $2 each and two were released.

John Gallagher of Chapel street has started on a short vacation to be spent in Boston.

INTEREST BEGINS

Wednesday, August 3rd, Savings Department. Traders National Bank.

Deposit Now

WANTED—A young man between 16 and 21 years old to learn barber trade. Inquire Sun Office.

THIS IS Quarter Week AT THE CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK 58 CENTRAL ST.

Lunch Sets, 25c EACH

C. B. Coburn Co. 63 Market Street

TWO BOATS LOST

Japanese Ships Sunk at Port Arthur

CHEFOO, July 29, 11.55 p. m.—Refugees who have arrived here from Port Arthur say that the Japanese lost a cruiser and gunboat last Thursday night as a result of striking mines.

FIERCE FIGHTING FOR FEW DAYS

LIAO YANG, July 28—(Delayed in transmission.)—A Russian correspondent of the Associated Press gives the following account of the battle of Tatchekiao, showing the disposition of the Russian forces which withstood the advance of seven Japanese divisions for two days:

"The Japanese made a reconnaissance in force on July 23 against our positions at Tyantsyatum, Uiantun and Santzyaitsi, resulting in quite heavy fighting and the driving in of our advance guard.

"The morning of July 24 found us following the position which Stakelberg held on our right flank. The centre was posted on the hills north of Tsyanchjaltzi and consisted of the Tomsk and Barnaoulsk regiments, on the left flank was Nandaline hill, occupied by six battalions of the Soujpalatenski and Tobolsk regiments and the reserves. The centre and left flanks, consisting of four battalions were at Tsyanchjaltzi and the general reserves of the southern forces were at Tatchekiao. Gen. Samsonoff's cavalry guarded the right flank and Gen. Mistchenko's Cossacks were on the left flank, occupying a position south of Tsiliaogoy. The right flank was commanded by Gen. Stakelberg, the centre by Gen. Oganovski and the left by Gen. Shileiki.

"The battle commenced against Stakelberg's position and the artillery opened a heavy fire which continued without cessation for fifteen hours.

"In the direction of Dafanshen was located one of the most persistently annoying batteries, which was firing from the shelter of a Chinese village.

"Our guns then began an artillery duel, which continued until 11 o'clock in the morning. About this time the Japanese infantry began to concentrate and two battalions made a determined attempt to take Dafanshen hill. Our artillery never gave them a chance to get into close quarters, but on the contrary succeeded in breaking up a charge of Japanese before it had gained much headway.

"The Japanese then began to concentrate against our centre but a battery on our left flank opened a terrific cross fire while another battery from the reserves galloped up. Together these batteries broke up the infantry attack and nearly silenced the Japanese artillery.

"The Japanese fire was so weakened that Gen. Salleiki ordered us to attack and a battalion moved forward and met the concentrated rifle fire and the desultory shots of the artillery.

"At 7.30 p. m. the Japanese, under cover of a terrific artillery fire, attacked the hill, which was held by the Barnaoulsk regiment, but the defenders of the hill held on desperately, meeting the successive charges with the bayonet.

"Finally the Japanese fled in the midst of a desperate melee in which they proved to be no match for the brawn and weight of our men.

"At 9 p. m. the general reserves came up. We held all our positions over a front of about ten miles, but in view of the superior force of the enemy, Gen. Saroubaieff decided to retire on Haicheng and our retirement was accompanied in perfect order.

"Our losses were 600."

STEAMER ARABIA TO BE RELEASED

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The Associated Press is informed that the German steamer Arabia, which was captured by the Russian cruiser Gromoboi off the Japanese coast, July 22, will be released as soon as the contraband of war in her cargo is identified and removed. This outcome of the incident was forecasted in a despatch from Vladivostok to the Associated Press yesterday morning.

HEAVY FIRING AT NEW CHWANG

NEW CHWANG, July 29, 9 p. m.—Heavy firing was heard outside of New Chwang until 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

M. Grosse, the Russian administrator of New Chwang, has gone to Pekin.

GENERAL ASSAULT ON PORT ARTHUR

CHEFOO, July 30, 5 a. m.—Refugees who have just arrived from Port Arthur confirm previous reports that a general assault has been begun by the Japanese on that fortress and they declare that the Russians are so sanguine that the Japanese could not succeed in capturing the place even though they had twice as many troops. The Russians, according to the refugees' story are still hoping for succor from Gen. Kuropatkin. They are unwilling to believe the reports of his defeat at Tatchekiao. The refugees further confirm the reports that the Russian fleet is in a state of repair, but say that the fleet is unwilling to attack that of Admiral Togo on account of the mines which the Japanese place nightly at the entrance to the harbor.

Ammunition is said to be growing scarce and the large fort guns are not often discharged.

An American named Holt reports that Lieut. Newton A. McCully, the American naval attache now at Port Arthur, is well.

TERRIFIC FIGHTING AT PORT ARTHUR

CHEFOO, July 30, 1 p. m.—A junk which left Port Arthur on Thursday last at midnight reports terrific fighting on land and sea which had been going on for three days. The highest Japanese authority here says that the army and naval commanders of the besieging forces had planned to begin their final assault on Tuesday last and expected to effect the capture by July 29 but that no official reports were expected from the army or from Admiral Togo until the present attack results in success. The Japanese correspondents here are now sending junks to the Miaotao Islands, ready to enter the harbor at Port Arthur immediately after the fall of the fortress.

The Associated Press correspondent learns from the same reliable authority that the movements of the Vladivostok squadron have concentrated the attack upon Port Arthur, the Japanese authorities realizing that if these vessels were allowed to proceed unhampered any longer, it meant the division of Admiral Togo's fleet with the outcoming of the Russian ships now cooped up by him at Port Arthur.

The most intense interest in the Port Arthur situation is taken not only here but in Shanghai and Tien Tsin. Many commercial concerns in these places are continually wiring here for news. In this city many wagers are being made at odds of 20 to 1 in pounds sterling, that Port Arthur will not fall within the next few months, German residents offering and Englishmen accepting the bets.

PORT ARTHUR HAS NOT FALLEN

LONDON, July 30, noon.—The rumored fall of Port Arthur is officially pronounced to be untrue.

VLADIVOSTOK RAID VERY DISASTROUS

TOKIO, July 29, 10 a. m.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The Vladivostok squadron has disappeared and it is possible that its radius is over and is heading homeward. It is expected that shipping will be ruined on the eastern coast. The Pacific Mail S. S. company S. S. Korea will be held at Kokohama and the ship Siberia at Kobe until their safety is assured. The German Mail Steamship company is using Kobe as a terminal for the transhipment of passengers and cargo.

The raid of the Vladivostok squadron has been an extremely disastrous one. It is estimated that two hundred thousand tons of chartered shipping has been held ten days at a loss of seven and a half million dollars.

BRITISH COLONY GREETED JAPANESE

LIAO YANG, July 30.—According to information reaching here the Japanese received a cordial welcome from the British residents upon the arrival of the former at New Chwang. A formal greeting was extended to them by the British colony, headed by the consul of Great Britain.

STORY OF BATTLE TOLD BY EYE-WITNESS

MUKDEN, July 30.—A correspondent of the Associated Press, who witnessed the battle of Tatchekiao, July 23 to July 25, and who rode over a hundred miles on horseback all the way to Mukden, to bring the account, gives the following personal description of the engagement:

The correspondent was awakened at 3 o'clock in the morning of July 23 by the booming of guns. He had slept in the village of Tientsiatin, four miles south of Tatchekiao where the regiment to which he was attached was stationed. He hurriedly rode to the Russian outposts and found them engaged in a hot artillery duel which continued for two hours. Then the battalions slowly retreated on the main position where General Zaranbaieff decided to accept battle. The Russian gunners thence poured a well directed hail of projectiles, effectually stopping the Japanese advance and enabling the various outpost detachments to fall back in safety. The artillery fire ceased at about 11 o'clock and then for three hours the Japanese engaged in placing their battalions in position and in disposing of the forces in order of battle. At 2 in the afternoon the bombardment recommenced and lasted until after 5 o'clock. The Japanese had several guns of large calibre and all their batteries were sending out streams of shrapnel on the Russian positions but not causing much harm. In fact, the total losses at first were insignificant.

The night was perfectly quiet. The correspondent slept in the village of Shininitin, directly behind the Russian position. The real battle opened the next morning.

The first gun was fired at 7 o'clock and thenceforth the roar of artillery did not cease for an instant till 8.30 in the evening. At times the firing acquired extraordinary violence. The site of the battle was about three miles south of Tatchekiao and two miles east of the railroad. The sea was plainly discernible from the hills overlooking the battlefield. But nothing occurred in that direction. The Russian positions fronted south with a slight inclination eastward. About two artillery corps were engaged.

The correspondent was able to follow only the experiences of General Zaranbaieff's corps and so confined himself to recording the incidents of this portion of the Russian troops. Zaranbaieff's corps occupied a position on two hills of which the largest was crowned by three summits. The commander and his staff stationed themselves on the highest point, the centre one, whence they had an uninterrupted view of the surrounding country. The general had placed batteries on the plain behind these hills, the guns being cleverly masked by lofty Chinese corn. The Japanese tried vainly the whole day to locate them and the Russian losses therefore were slight. The men suffered more from the scorching heat of the sun than from the Japanese projectiles.

It was essentially an artillery battle but it was remarkable and even uncanny that during the 13 hours it lasted the Russians could not make out a single Japanese soldier even with the most powerful glasses. From the position occupied by General Zarenbaieff's troops not a single rifle shot was fired, but the gunners on both sides worked like mad men. The air was split and torn by the deafening, crashing reports of the guns, the dull booming of the distant shots furnishing a background of deep bass for the vicious hissing of the hurrying messengers of death exploding about the Russians. White puffs of smoke from the exploding shrapnel shells formed clouds overhead into which were thrown fountains of dust and sand when the shells burst on the ground, upon impact, showering bullets and splinters around.

The Japanese fire was at first concentrated upon the eastward hill, held by a small force of Russians and by 11 o'clock this part of the position was literally aflame, enough to try the courage of the bravest soldier. The men threw themselves down with their faces to the ground, so soon as they heard the approaching shells which on striking, dug deep cracks in the hillsides whence the spouting fire looked like minature volcanoes. When this spectacle of savage splendor had lasted four or five hours, one after another of the Russian positions became untenable. In the meantime the gunners serving the Russian batteries behind the hills redoubled their energies and the Japanese were evidently non-plused by the fierceness of the fire from the unlocated batteries. They even directed their attention to the Russian right, showering projectiles on a small hill which was quite unoccupied. Then the Japanese shifted their fire to the Russian center but not a single man was withdrawn therefrom. The fire of the Japanese diminished at about 5 o'clock and ceased altogether half an hour later, whereas the Russian batteries continued to fire.

When the Japanese gunners reopened the artillery duel later they had changed their position to the westward whence they obtained an uninterrupted range of the plain behind the Russian position and their projectiles began falling dangerously near the Russian batteries. Two Chinese villages in the vicinity suffered terribly. The whole plain was ploughed and pitted by the explosion of the shells.

With the approach of evening the Russians had a little relief from the heat, but none from the Japanese, the only difference being that the flashes of the Japanese guns were distinguishable on the slopes of the hills facing the Russians, revealing their exact position by the red sparks of each cannons mouth against the sombre shadow followed by the bursting of the shell among the Russians.

The wild beauty of the scene had now reached its limit, the bombardment slowly diminishing in tensity and one hour later profound silence reigned, broken only now and then by the rattle of infantry volleys from the distant portions of the field where the battle was still dragging on.

Upon reaching Sininitin the same evening the correspondent found that the place had already been abandoned by the Russian troops, though he was for a time under the impression that they had merely gone out to take up positions at the front. In fact, he was convinced that the fight must have been a Russian victory since over the great extent of field which had come under his observation for 13 hours the Japanese at no time seemed able to advance. Jumping into the saddle the correspondent rode out of the village and encountered a large force of Russian cavalry covering an infantry retreat which was moving towards Tatchelkao. On reaching that town the correspondent found everything prepared for its evacuation. The last train left Tatchekiao at about 11 o'clock, at which time the Japanese were already bombarding the place. Notwithstanding the fire and even the rapid approach of the Japanese the Russian retreat was carried out in perfect order although the men and animals suffered terribly from the stifling heat.

The Russian stores of flour and other provisions at Tatchekiao were burned and as the correspondent rode northward immense columns of black smoke were rising along the horizon behind him and until he approached Haicheng at 8 o'clock that night he could hear the distant rumbling of the Japanese guns.

RUSSIAN LOSSES AT TATCHEKIAO

TOKIO, July 29.—10 p. m. (Delayed in transmission)—General Oku estimates the Russian losses at Tatchekiao last Sunday to have been at the lowest 2000 men and in his report expresses the opinion that the Russians decided to retreat at midnight Sunday after the Japanese had stormed Laiping mountain in a surprise attack and carried most of the Russian left, leaving the right rear threatened. An immediate withdrawal alone averted a greater disaster to the Russians. The fighting around the fortresses and on Liaping mountain was desperate. It was there that the Japanese sustained their heaviest losses, which are now estimated for the entire engagement at 1000.

The Russians had evidently hoped to check General Oku at Tatchekiao. The Russian defences were the most extensive and the best that the Japanese have yet encountered. A series of rope-protected trenches extended around the hills. The gun emplacements were covered and protected by wire entanglements which barred the ravines. The position dominated the ground which the Japanese occupied and over which they advanced.

Over 120 guns barred an infantry advance. Sunday afternoon a single Japanese detachment succeeded in penetrating the Russian line but it was beaten back. The Japanese artillery was constantly exposed and occupying a disadvantageous position topographically it was unable to score. At night-fall the situation seemed hopeless was the prospect of a bloody renewal at dawn. The Japanese right wing asked and obtained permission to surprise the enemy at night, which brought victory. The Japanese swept over the trenches into the first fortress at 10 p. m. This was followed by an assault on the strong fortress which was mastered at 3 a. m. The Russians abandoned Tatchekiao at 11 a. m. Monday the Japanese shelling them and the vanguard pursuing.

RUSSIAN BATTERIES WERE NOT LOCATED

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—A special despatch from Liao Yang giving a graphic picture of the fight at Tatchekiao, explains that the Russian immunity from damage by the furious Japanese bombardment was due to the fact that the Russian guns were concealed cleverly by high grass and trees and that the Japanese therefore, were unable to heliograph the position of the guns as they had formerly done to the Japanese artillery men.

The Japanese had many large calibre guns and used chiefly schrapnel. They used also high explosive shells. The fight was almost wholly an artillery duel and was a magnificent spectacle. The crest of the hills held by the Russians was converted into a raging volcano and the earth was thrown up in geysers by the continuous rain of bursting shells until sand and dust hung in a cloud overhead, and fire among the trees and grass started by the shells added a stifling smoke and heat to the awful glare of the tropical sun. The schrapnel like great, white winged birds sailed overhead. The moan and drone of their coming could be heard plainly, and the Russians threw themselves behind rocks and other shelters as the missiles burst.

The Japanese shifted the position of their guns, both to escape the Russian fire and to try and locate the masked batteries of their opponents. Late in the afternoon they got a position that enabled them to sweep the plain behind the hills occupied by the Russians and came dangerously near locating, though they did not quite find the Russian batteries. Every one except the commanders, was surprised and disgusted at the order to retreat. The Russians burned everything valuable at Tatchekiao before leaving.

SHIPPING INTERESTS GREATLY ANNOYED

CHEFOO, July 30—3 p. m.—The consuls here are asking the Japanese consul for an explanation of field marshal Oyama's order that all neutral ships must remain away from New Chwang. The shipping interests are annoyed, saying that the Russians did not stop free traffic with that port.

An American merchant who has arrived here from Harbin which place he left a week ago, says Russian troops are arriving there at the rate of 22,000 weekly. There are six mills at Harbin grinding flour and they are well supplied with wheat. The Chinese are bringing in much grain and are assisting the Russians who are paying well, in every way. One Chinese contractor was given an order to supply 200,000 pounds of grain. The many wounded men at Harbin are receiving every attention and delicacies. The Japanese prisoners are sent to Tomsk. These prisoners praise the Russians for the splendid treatment they have received. The railroad is in splendid condition. Many heavy guns were mounted at Liao Yang on Monday last and the deep wide trenches there were protected with barbed wire.

It was announced from Tokio, July 28, that the port of New Chwang was open to neutral ships.

TOTAL WRECK

NORWEGIAN BARK YUBA WILL BE SOLD.

DIGBY, N. S., July 30.—The Norwegian bark Yuba, which ran aground at Whale Cove yesterday, is a total wreck and the board of survey has ordered her sale for the benefit of the owners and underwriters. Whale Cove is on the Bay of Fundy shore off Digby Neck. The Yuba, in charge of Captain Hansen, sailed from Mossel Bay, South Africa, May 22, for Weymouth, N. S., to load lumber for Buenos Ayres. She was of 551 tons register.

EX-GOV. McLEAN

CANNOT PRESIDE OVER REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 30—Friends of ex-Governor Geo. P. McLean have received private letters saying that he has notified Michael Kenealy chairman of the republican state central committee that he cannot serve as temporary chairman of the republican state conference which he was unanimously chosen by the committee. Ex-Governor McLean explains that the selection was made without his knowledge and that other engagements which he had previously made are such that they cannot be broken.

AUTOISTS AT ST. LOUIS.

BUFFALO, July 30.—The vanguard of the automobile party en route to St. Louis arrived here today. The machines are making good time and their occupants report a successful trip across the state. The party will remain here until Monday morning. Percy V. Pierce of Buffalo was the first to arrive, his car reaching the city limits about 7 o'clock.

DR. DONALD WEAKER.

IPSWICH, Mass., July 30.—Dr. E. Winchester Donald continued today in the low state in which he has been for the past several days. His weakness is gradually increasing still the doctor said he might linger through the day.

ROOSEVELT BOYS ARRIVE.

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—(World's Fair grounds)—Theodore, Jr., and Kermit Roosevelt, sons of the president, accompanied by their cousins, Philip Roosevelt and Alexander Roosevelt, have arrived at the Inside Inn. Archie Roosevelt who was expected, was not in the party.

CEMENT INDUSTRY.

WASHINGTON, July 30. A report on the cement industry in the United States for the calendar year 1903, issued by the U. S. geological survey, says the total production of Portland, Natural Rock and Slag or Pozzuolana cements amounted to 28,454,140 barrels, valued at $30,761,341. This was an increase of 2,700,636 barrels over the preceding year. The aggregate embraces 20,597,973 barrels of Portland cement, valued at $26,146,319; 7,030,271 barrels of Natural Rock cement, valued at $3,675,520; and 525,896 barrels of slag cement, valued at $512,-509.

The buildings owned by Edmund Fairburn and the contents which were destroyed by fire at Andover were insured through the agency of Thomas C. Lee & Co.

RUSSIAN POLICE

Had Set a Trap For Assassin

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30—2.02 a. m.—The police have not yet established the identity of the assassin of M. Von Plehve or of his accomplice, though it has been ascertained that the former is a little Russian, which accounts for his noticeable accent. The accomplice is a Jew.

It has developed that the police for some time past have been aware that a plot was maturing against the emperor and notified one of the ministers that a party of fifteen anarchists had arrived in St. Petersburg. Several arrests were actually made some days before the assassination of the minister of the interior and the police had the assassin's house marked and a trap set for his arest on the night of July 14, but he did not return home.

The bomb which the accomplice dropped in the canal after the assassination, has been recovered by the police. It is foreign made, though it is believed to have been loaded in St. Petersburg. It is small and melon shaped, and is believed to be truly as powerful as the one that killed M. Von Plehve.

The requiem service at M. Von Plehve's house tonight was most impressive. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers. Madame Von Plehve and her son were present at the ceremony, as were many officials and diplomats. A nun in the habit of her order knelt before the coffin intoning prayers for the dead. These prayers will be continued without interruption until after the interment.

The emperor was not present at the requiem tonight, but he will attend the funeral Sunday afternoon.

ANARCHISTS CHEER

AT MENTION OF VON PLEHVE'S ASSASSIN.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Five thousand persons in Cooper Union cheered themselves hoarse last night over the death of the Russian minister of the Interior, Von Plehve, and shouted praise for his assassin. The great hall was dotted with anarchists, who in frequent frenzies of excitement waved red banners and voiced their approval of the assassination.

At every mention of the bomb thrower there was a din that lasted several minutes, and cries of "Legio, Legio, Legio" echoed through the hall.

The mass meeting was held by the United Russian revolutionists to celebrate Von Plehve's death which they believed will mark a new era of liberty for their brethren in Russia. The leaders of the revolutionists in this city endeavored to keep the anarchists away, but the meeting was public and the latter stole quietly in one at a time. The police estimated that 500 anarchists were present.

INSPECTOR HUNT

THREATENS TO ARREST THE SHERIFF.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Police Inspector Hunt today announced the arrest of President Golden of the Teamsters' union might be followed by the imprisonment of Sheriff Thomas Barrett. The sheriff was last night called upon for protection from the police by the strikers, the call being made in a resolution adopted by the strike leaders on the ground of alleged unlawful acts of the police.

Inspector Hunt today in answer to inquiries as to what he would do should the sheriff invade the stock yards district with deputies, said :"Let Sheriff Barrett once cross my lines with his deputies for the purpose of interfering with the police and I shall arrest every man of them, Barrett and all, and shove them down stairs into cells. They will stay there for a while, too. If he wants to take care of his friends, the strikers, let him do it in some other way.

CONFERENCE HELD

BUT NO AGREEMENT WAS REACHED.

CHICAGO, July 30.—No agreement was reached at a meeting today between a committee of the allied trade unions and Superintendent A. G. Leonard of the Union Stock Yards and transit company. The conference was held in the hope that some sort of an agreement could be made concerning the live stock handlers who returned to work for the benefit of the independent packers, but soon made no discrimination against the larger packing house. When the conference adjourned the representatives of the allied trades reported to a general meeting the lack of success. Reports were given out today that a limited number of strikers have left here for Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic, and that others are expected to follow the exodus being upon South American packers furnishing transportation. It is alleged that the packing plants of Buenos Ayres are handling supplies for Russia which until recently were furnished from Chicago.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

MAY BE ASKED TO TAKE HAND IN CHICAGO STRIKE.

CHICAGO July 30.—After adjournment of today's meeting of representatives of allied packing house trades, it was announced that resolutions which were ordered asking aid from President Roosevelt had been presented to the meeting. It was stated that President Donnelly would confer with Secretary Call of the butchers' union concerning the resolutions.

than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

FOUR ALARMS OF FIRE

Big Grain Elevator in Boston Was Destroyed

BOSTON, July 30.—The N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad's grain elevator on Chandler street is on fire. Three alarms have been sounded.

The elevator is situated at the corner of Chandler and Berkley streets and has been practically unoccupied for sometime. It is on the opposite side of Castle square from the Castle Square hotel and theatre, but that property was not considered in danger. The elevator is separated from that property by wide streets and from adjoining property on the other side by the railroad.

A fourth alarm was given at 12.45. At that time the flames were entirely within the building. The firemen were hindered by dense smoke.

Shortly after one o'clock the flames climbed to the Wentworth, a family hotel at 112 Berkley street, but it was thought it would be quickly extinguished at that point. The elevator which was practically empty was apparently doomed. All trains on the Boston & Albany railroad and on several divisions of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad were tied up as the elevator stands right beside the tracks. It is thought the fire started from spontaneous combustion in a pile of rubber hose on an upper floor. The elevator is valued at about $50,000.

At 1.30 part of the roof of the elevator fell in. The Wentworth was only slightly damaged, the fir being soon extinguished there. District Fire Chief Smith sprained his ankle by falling over a line of hos. Two other firemen were reported injured. The heat was intense and surrounding buildings were being drenched with water. Four water towers were raised. It was thought there was no danger of the flames spreading further.

With the fall of the roof the flames shot up more fiercely that ever in spite of the fact that tons of water had been poured into the building. From the roofs of adjoining structures, streams were still directed into the furnace-like shell. Every nearby building was also drenched from top to bottom on account of the great heat. The Castle Square fire brigade took its position ready to respond to the slightest indication of danger at that point. The wind, however, what little there was, directed the sparks away from that locality.

Although the fire was still burning strongly the chief considered that it would soon be under control. The brick walls were still standing and streams were being directed upon the flames through every possible opening but there was little hope that they would be quenched until they had actually burned themselves out.

At three o'clock the side wall nearest the railroad fell in and also a brick wall and wooden inner structure in the centre of the elevator. The firemen then commenced directing streams from the railroad track so that the flames were being fought from three sides. The fire at that hour was practically under control.

AUTOISTS SET FREE.

BOSTON, July 29.—Doubt of the ability of the police to correctly time speeding automobiles was expressed by Judge Burke, in the municipal court, when he dismissed the charges against Frank E. Straw and John J. Kellihar, both automobile dealers, of Salem. The court said a policeman standing at a distance from the chalk mark on Tremont street could not very well see the mark as the autoists sped over it. The testimony of Straw and Kellihar was supported by witnesses. Judge Burke said that the laws of evidence required him to dismiss the charges. Earlier in the day he had fined six autoists $10 each.

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FROM SATURDAY'S LATE EDITION

SEIZED WITH FIT

Charles Johnson Removed to Hospital

Charles Johnson while passing through Prescott street shortly after eight o'clock this morning was seized with a fit and fell to the sidewalk. Officer Bart Ryan went to the man's assistance and had him removed to McManmon's store and word was sent to the police station to have the ambulance summoned, but through a misunderstanding the patrol was sent instead.

Rather than wait for the ambulance the man was placed in the patrol and taken to St. John's hospital where he was attended and recovered consciousness about noon. At the time of going to press he was much improved.

Last evening Mr. Johnson was seized with a fit in the vicinity of the Merrimack street station.

STOLE A WHEEL

But Owner Was Johnnie on the Spot

Michael Stein, a Hebrew second-hand clothing dealer in Middlesex street, known to the habitues of that thoroughfare as "Mike the Jew," had a lively time this morning with a would-be bicycle thief. Mike left his wheel outside his place of business and went inside to take the register and a young man happening by seeing him leave the wheel immediately started to mount it and make off with it.

But Mike employes a second-hand named Ike who has the eye of an eagle, and he spotted the thief as soon as the latter laid hands on the wheel.

"Ohe, Ohe!" cried Ike, "Give a look out of the door, Michael, give a look out of the door alretty."

Mike took a look and then a leap for the door and he fastened into the bike thief just as the latter was spurting away.

"Robbers! Thiefs!" cried Mike. "I have you caught stealing my bicycle yet."

Bing! The thief landed poor Michael right on the pinnacle of his parrot-like proboscis. Down goes Mike while the thief makes a second attempt to get away.

But this time faithful Ike, who had witnessed the fate of his boss, got a grape-vine lock on the thief and yelled out: "Ohe, Ohe! I have him gepinched. Make a cry for the watchmans, Michael."

By this time the crowd began to gather and the thief rather than get arrested shook off his captor and abandoning the wheel took to his heels. Then Mike picked himself up and examining the wheel carefully went into the store remarking: "Ven you py a gold vatch for $5 the cops come and take it avay again because it was pinched before, but ven a robber steal your pheel vere is de cop, I don't know?"

BARN ON FIRE

BLAZE CALLED THE FIREMEN TO WALKER STREET.

The alarm from box 48, at 3 o'clock this afternoon called the fire department to a barn on Walker street owned by police officer Thomas Sanborn. When the apparatus arrived there was quite a lively blaze in progress and several streams were directed on the barn. After about ten minutes' work the blaze was extinguished. The cause of the fire had not been ascertained at the timeof going to press.

TOES AMPUTATED

JOHN SHIRLOCK MET WITH SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

John Shirlock, aged 65 years and residing in Suffolk street, while at work at the Kitson Machine shop this morning met with a painful accident. Several large castings fell on his right foot, crushing the third, fourth and fifth toes so badly that it was found necessary to amputate them after he was removed to the Emergency Hospital. The third and fourth toes were amputated near the foot and the fifth at the second joint. The nail was also torn off the second toe.

SIGNS OF MOURNING

ANNIVERSARY OF THE RIVERSIDE EXPLOSION.

The anniversary of the Riverside park explosion filled the hearts of those whose dear ones perished on that fateful day with sad thoughts and the memory of that terrible visitation wove webs of sorrow about the little homes that were shattered by the ferocious agency of death.

The little place looked more deserted yesterday than it has since the time of the explosion. The explosion was the one topic of conversation among those who still live there and a few houses were draped in observance of the day. The little cottage occupied by Mr. Wm. Riggs, whose wife and son died of injuries sustained at the explosion, was simply but impressively draped and on the bank of the river in front of the little cottage was a flag at half mast and draped at top and bottom.

WENT TO REVERE BEACH.

A party of young ladies from the Lawrence hosiery are enjoying an outing at Revere beach today. A special car filled with a jolly crowd of girls left Merrimack square at 6.45 oclock this morning and followed the regular car.

Upon arriving at the beach the different points of interest together with the amusement places were visited and this was followed by bathing and a fine shore dinner.

The party will return during the early part of the evening.

CHOLERA INFANTUM

CAUSED 13 DEATHS IN LOWELL THIS WEEK.

There were 53 deaths in Lowell during the week and of these 34 were children under 5 years of age and 13 deaths of these children were caused by cholera infantum.

MISKELLA TALKS

Says He Acted Within His Rights

ASSURED THAT HIS POSITION IS CORRECT

Not Disturbed by Injunction Proceedings

Acting mayor Miskella was at city hall this morning ready to attend to any official business that might require his attention. To a reporter of The Sun the acting mayor stated that he has signed payrolls, orders, etc., during the absence of the mayor from the city, both this year and last year when he was called upon to fill the mayor's chair during the absence of Mr. Howe from the city. No objection has been raised until now when it is said that an attempt will be made to get out an injunction to prevent the appropriation which was voted for Labor Day from being used.

When acting mayor Miskella was seen this morning in relation to the latter matter he said: "I am positive that my position is right and I am assured that in calling the special meeting of the common council I acted entirely within my powers. I understand that an attempt will be made to block the Labor Day appropriation on the ground that I had no power to act as mayor of the city, but I can assure the citizens of Lowell that what I did is perfectly legal as will be shown if ever the case goes to court. It is ridiculous to imagine for one moment that I acted outside my powers. I have been very careful at all times to make certain my position, so that there could be no question as to the legality of my actions while serving the city as acting mayor.

I am prepared to meet whatever issue may be raised and I am certain that if ever the proposed injunction case reaches the court my action will be held to be perfectly legal and in accordance with the powers vested in me as acting mayor."

Considerable inquiry has been made as to what course was pursued when Alderman Badger was acting mayor, When Mayor Dimon was at Bermuda and during his illness Mr. Badger officiated as acting mayor and transacted much official business without any official declaration from the board of aldermen or city council as to the vacancy of the office of mayor. But when Mayor Dimon died his remains were hardly cold when the aldermen held a special meeting, declared the office vacant and declared Badger acting mayor. It is supposed that they acted under legal advice and it is assumed that they were informed that as long as the absence of the mayor was only temporary and his return to office the matter of a few days, there was no necessity for action on the part of the aldermen, but when he died and an interregnum was established the action of the city council as provided by the charter became necessary.

It is not reasonable that because a mayor goes fishing on Wednesday intending to return on Saturday that a meeting of the aldermen must be called and the acting mayor formally named before he can legally sign Friday's payroll. The fact that Mayor Howe officially notified Mr. Miskella of his intended absence from the city is sufficient warrant in the opinion of many for the latter to act officially.

WOMAN BLAMED

RECEPTION ROOM AT YOUNG'S HOTEL LOOTED.

BOSTON, July 30.--Inspectors from police headquarters are today searching for the daring thieves who last evening carried off silverware and cut-glass ornaments valued at $250. from the reception room of Youngs hotel. They think a woman did the work.

While the evening dinner was at its height, the lobby crowded and the corridors adjacent to the reception room well patrolled by house employes, clever crooks gained entrance to the reception room, and while the attendant's back was turned, succeeded in concealing a magnificent cut-glass clock, two gold-mounted, cut-glass vases and a few pieces of silver mounted toilet articles.

The police are inclined to believe that the robbery was committed by a man and a woman. They contend that none other than a woman would be given full run of the reception room, and it is supposed that the woman, after securing the articles, handed them out the window to a companion waiting in Court square.

PAPAL NUNCIO

HAS NO FURTHER BUSINESS IN PARIS.

PARIS, July 30.—Foreign Minister Delcasse this afternoon addressed a note to the papal nuncio to the effect that in consequence of the rupture of relations between France and the vatican his mission in Paris no longer had any object.

ERROR OF NURSE

SAID TO HAVE CAUSED PATIENT'S DEATH.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30—Through the fatal mistake of Miss Stella Willey, a nurse at the United States Marine Hospital, Frank Johnson, a sailor, now occupies a slab at the City Morgue instead of a convalescent's bed at the home for the marine sick. The nurse by mistake gave Johnson eight teaspoonfuls of bichloride of mercury instead of magnesium sulphate.

Miss Willey went to the medicine closet to get a bottle of magnesium sulphate solution. It stood beside a bottle of bichloride, bearing the same kind of a label, except for the small label on the neck marked "poison." The nurse, thinking that she knew the bottle, failed to read the label.

If it is found that death was due to the bi-chloride, Miss Willey will be charged with manslaughter. She is twenty years of age and keenly feels the awfulness of her mistake.

BREAK WITH VATICAN

Rupture Between France and Holy See is Complete

PARIS, July 30.--Although no official announcement has yet been made it can be positively affirmed that the rupture between France and the vatican is complete. The Holy See's lengthy reply to the French note, though most courteously worded, merely amounts to a polite statement that the Pope does not intend to infringe the stipulations of the concordat and will not withdraw the letters calling the bishops of Dijon and Laval to Rome.

Diplomatic courtesy forbids the publication of the French answer until the Pope is notified. Foreign minister Delcasse last night sent M. DeCourcelle, the French charge d'affairs at the vatican, two notes, one for the papal secretary of state announcing the rupture and the second a personal note instructing the charge d'affairs and the others of the staff of the embassy to return to Paris immediately after his mission is accomplished, which probably will be this morning. When M. DeCourcelle's advices reaches foreign minister Delcasse, the latter will immediately request the papal nuncio here to leave France. It is not expected that the rupture will have any immediate consequences beyond the mutual withdrawal of the representatives of France and the vatican and the suppression of the embassy and nunciature, as the renunciation of the concordat requires parliamentary sanction. Consequently fresh developments are improbable until the appointment of new bishops come up. Well informed persons do not believe that the vatican will retaliate by withdrawing France's protectorate over the eastern Catholics.

POLICE OFFICERS

Illegally Appointed Says Civil Service Board

LAWRENCE, July 30.--Mayor Lynch is informed by the civil service commissioners that the employment of Police Inspectors John Sheehan, Michael Murphy and Fred F. Flynn, Sergts. Thomas P. McCarthy and Walter G. Springer, and Patrolmen Walter A. Chandler, Daniel Horan, John B. Mahoney, Henry W. Marshall, James L. Murphy and Alfred Paradis is illegal, because it is stated the men were never regularly appointed.

The three inspectors and the two sergeants, the commissioners say, were not promoted in conformity with the civil service laws, while the six patrolmen named failed of appointment after serving their probationary period by a tie vote in the board of aldermen.

James L. Murphy is the policeman who resigned early this week and whose resignation was accepted by the mayor and aldermen Wednesday night.

THREE RESCUED

Women Overcome in Burning Building

MALDEN, July 30—Three difficult rescues from fire in the Redding Block on Main street were made today. The building is of brick, three stories high with stores on the street floor and tenements above and the three persons were in the upper story and were overcome by smoke before help reached them. Officer Barrett, who discovered the blaze found Mrs. W. C. Wilmot and Mrs. G. M. Mayberry unconscious and carried them to safety. Ladderman Bailey discovered Miss Mira L. Sawyer who also was unconscious and bore her out of danger. All of the women will recover. The fire started in the Ware bakery and is thought to have been caused by rats and matches. The damage was about $1000.

POLICE LISTS

SHOW 193,195 VOTERS IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, July 30.--The tabulated lists of poll tax payers made by the police and the assessors show that the police returned nearly 12,000 more names than the assessors. From ward 6 alone the police returned 2690 more names than the assessors. Assessors last year listed 178,695 males of voting age and this year 181,285. The police aggregate last year was 181,191 and this year it is 193,195.

Registration for the state primaries and election will be begun at the office of the election commissioners, on Court square, on Monday. For the primaries it will close on September 10 at 10 o'clock in the evening, and for the election it will close on October 19 at 10 o'clock.

The city primaries registration will be begun on November 10. Registration for the city election will close on November 23 at 10 p. m.

JUMPED OVERBOARD

IT IS BELIEVED OSCAR JAQUITH COMMITTED SUICIDE.

NEW YORK, July 30—Oscar C. Jaquith of 178 Ashley street, Hartford, Conn., who was a passenger on the steamer Middletown of the Hartford line was missing when the steamer reached her pier here today and the officers of the boat expressed the opinion that the man probably jumped overboard during the night. The window of his stateroom was found open and most of his clothing was found in his room.

GROUNDED STEAMER

HAS NOT YET BEEN FLOATED.

ROCKLAND, Maine, July 30.--The position of the grounded steamer, City of Rockland, was unchanged early today. The tugs which were hard at work at low tide last night resumed their efforts this morning, and it was thought there was a good chance of floating the vessel during the day. A light breeze was blowing from the northwest and conditions were ideal for the renewed attempt to pull the steamer off the ledge.

IRON MOULDERS' UNION.

BIDDEFORD, Me., July 30.---Pres. Valentine of the National Moulders' union addressed the delegates to the New England conference board today. business sessions were held in the forenoon and afternoon and included the election of officers. The convention will close this evening with a banquet at Old Orchard tendered the visitors by the members of the local union.

STAGING BROKE

Two Painters Probably Fatally Injured

BOSTON, July 30.--Two painters were probably fatally injured and a third seriously hurt by falling with a broken staging from near the top of a six story building on Cornhill today. Thos. McSherry, aged 38 of Everett and Alfred Simonds of Quincy struck the roof of the four story building adjoining, then rolled to the ground being knocked unconscious. They were removed to the Relief hospital in a critical condition. Jos. Irwin 35 years old of Boston, managed to grasp a water spout and so break his fall but it is feared he was internally injured. He was taken to his home.

A LOVING CUP

Presented to Judge Parker by Neighbors

ESOPUS, N. Y., July 30—Gen. Foster Peabody of New York City was an early visitor at Rosemount today spending most of the morning with W. J. Parker. A silver loving cup was sent down to Rosemount today by the residents on the block in Kingston where Judge Parker has his voting residence. The cup which is about 9 inches high and of simple design is inscribed as follows: "Alton Brooks Parker, on the occasion of his nomination to the presidency of the U. S. July ninth, Nineteen Hundred and Four. The Pearl neighbors, Kingston, N. Y."

The Pearl street neighbors of Kingston, N. Y., ask Judge Parker to accept the accompanying "Love Cup" as a token of their esteem for him as a man, a citizen and a friend."

With the note are the cards of the twenty four givers of the token.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 30, 1904.

July.

21--Bessie Carney 23, nephritis.
22--Ambrose L. Ready 71, senility.
Mary Ann Kane [illegible], disease of heart.
Thomas Muldoon 65, pneumonia.
Lydia A. Page [illegible], aortic aneurysm.
Hermenegilde Ouelette 6 mos., chol. inft.
23--Mary McCollough 68, ch. myocarditis.
Amanda Plante 48, pul. phthisis.
Rose Wall 26, pul. tuberculosis.
Orea St. Harnault 17, pneumonia.
Earl W. Lorrey 8 mos., marasmus.
Anna Tulley 10 mos., pneumonia.
George H. Duprez 3 mos., chol. infd.
Mary Hennen 2, chol. infd.
Elmer L. Grady 17 days, chol. infd.
24--Annie M. O. Anderson 13, entero-colitis.
Lena F. Johnston 3, convulsions.
Jennie G. Hague 1, enteritis.
Joseph J. Forgays 5 hrs., impr. development.
25--William H. Hope 62, tuberculosis.
Emma F. Warren 61, anaemia.
Francisca Kazie 18, typhoid fever.
Mary E. Flanegan 16, enteritis.
Walter T. Seymour 2, measles.
Alice Herity 1, cholera morbus.
Margaret Callaly 11 mos., chol. infd.
Mary L. Wood 3 mos., debility.
26--George Fitzgerald 73, pneumonia.
Clara Beaudoin 1 year, chol. infd.
Rosa A. Boisvert 11 mos., debility.
Marie L. Labrecque 7 mos., chol. infd.
John A. Looby 4 mos., bronchitis.
Emyllo Lawrence 4 mos., chol. infd.
Joehanna Gilowito 2 mos., chol. infd.
Patrick Molloy 2 mos., enteritis.
Albertine Lepine 4 mos., entero colitis.
27--Edouard Gelinas 72, pleurisy.
Alvina Martel [illegible], post partum hemor.
Alice Hanian 1, septicaemia.
Marie A. Bibeault 7 mos., chol. infd.
Ambroise Bahaville 7 mos., enteritis.
28--Mary A. Sherman [illegible], heart disease.
Yofia Balakin 1, meningitis.
Alfred Lesieur 9 mos., colitis.
William McKenna 5 mos., enteritis.
Carl A. Hayes 4 mos., enteritis.
Edouard Arcand 3 mos., enteritis.
John Draucoin 1 mo., diarrhoea.
Marie B. A. Martin 9 days, debility.
29--Delia Martin, [illegible]
Lizzie V. Jones [illegible], scarlet fever.
Anna A. Cochran 8 mos., chol. infd.
Florence Duchene [illegible], debility.

GIRARD P. DADMAN, City Clerk.

WORLD'S CHAMPION

TOWNS DEFEATED TRESIDER IN SCULLING MATCH.

SYDNEY, N. S., July 30.--Geo. Towns, the holder of the title, easily defeated "Dick" Tresider, of New Castle, N. S., on the Parramatta course today for the world's sculling championship and a purse of $5000. Towns won by seven lengths. Time, 21 minutes, 48 4-5 seconds.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more

PERSONALS

Miss Lizzie Fagan of Woonsocket, R. I., is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. C. Frank Tibbetts of the Newburyport News is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. E. Jameson, of Emery street.

Mr. A. J. McSorley of San Andreas, California, has been visiting his cousin, Mr. John H. McNabb of Pleasant street.

C. F. Keyes starts Monday with his family for Winthrop beach for a few weeks. They will have in the party a number of Boston friends and things will be made quite lively during their stay.

Miss Louise J. Flaherty, Miss Margaret T. Hennessy and Miss Agnes Wallace will spend the first two weeks of August at Revere beach.

Miss Ethel L. Bishop starts today on a two weeks' vacation to Milford, Mass., and Providence, R. I.

John A. Sullivan of Rye street and lately boss mixer in the Tremont & Suffolk mills, has accepted a more lucrative position in New Brunswick, N. J. Mr. Sullivan is so well satisfied with his new position after a month's trial that he has decided to move his family right away. He will be at his home on Rye street for a few days previous to his departure.

John T. Donohue, James Gunn, Owen Nierney and Dominick McCarty have leased a cottage at Salem Willows for the month of August.

Mrs. Fleming of Chapel street and Mrs. Charles Blakely start today for two weeks' vacation in St. Louis.

Miss Ethel L. Bishop starts today on a two weeks' vacation to Milford, Mass., and Providence, R. I.

Mr. Philip Peterson has just returned from Conce Island, New York.

Mr. Frank C. French of the American Express company is enjoying a two weeks' vacation among the hills of New Hampshire.

Mrs. W. B. Jones has gone to Alton Bay for a week.

Mrs. Clifford F. George of 12 Jenness street is visiting her sister in Walpole.

Miss Mabel Sullivan of Broadway and the Misses Kennedy of Walker street are spending a vacation in and around Boston. They are accompanied by the Misses Mulligan of Concord street.

Rev. Fr. McMonnon of Winchester has returned from the St. Louis exposition, and is visiting his parents in Second avenue.

Mr. James Conlon of Pleasant street leaves today for a two weeks' vacation to be spent at Marblehead.

Rev. Denis Sullivan of Holy Angels college, Buffalo, is visiting his relatives in Stackpole street.

The reverend Marist brothers of St. Joseph's college, who had been following a retreat at the mother house at Iberville, Que., for the past week, have returned to this city.

Mrs. Eliza Riopelle and Miss Marie Hoy will leave tomorrow night on a three weeks' trip to Canada.

Miss Emma Lemay of Ward street has left on a month's trip to Canada.

Mr. Samuel Cote and Miss Diana Cote of Aiken street will spend the coming month in Canada.

Mrs. Theophile Dumont of Ford street has gone to Canada on a visit of several weeks. Her son accompanied her, intending to enter college at Sherbrooke in the fall.

Miss Edythe B. Arkley of Sherbrooke, Que., is visiting at the home of Mrs. R. A. Smith on Humphrey street.

Rev. William O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church, is at the Velvet hotel, Old Orchard.

Miss Louise Gibbs of Stackpole street will spend the next four weeks with friends in Magog.

Frank Nealand is registered at the Sea Shore house, Old Orchard beach.

Mrs. Arthur H. Slater has gone to Fortunes Rocks, Biddeford, Me., until September.

Dr. and Mrs. George H. Jennison have gone with their family to Frankfort, Me.

Mrs. E. D. Soper of Methuen street has returned from Kennebunkport, Me. Mr. and Mrs. Willis E. Morse will spend a part of August at Gloucester.

Mrs. L. J. Calef and Miss May E. Calef and Mrs Harry Keep of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loverin of Buffalo, N. Y., are at the Calef family home in Sanbornton, N. H.

Mrs. Edward W. Lachance has gone to Blodgett's Landing, Sunapee Lake.

Rev. and Mrs R. A. Greene of the Grace church are at Bethel, Vt.

Mrs. Albert Crowell is spending the summer at South Duxbury.

Miss Helen A. Whittier is at the Cobb house, Canaan, N. H.

Mr. George H. Taylor is on his way home from London.

Mrs. Thomas Lees is in Newport, Vt.

Miss Mary D. Adams leaves the city on Monday for Lynchburg, Va. She has recently been appointed an instructor in the Bristol school at Washington, D. C., and will go there in October.

Mr. Richard P. Chadwick, Mr. Benjamin Hoyle and Mr. A. Chadwick will sail on the Ivernia, Aug. 2 for a two months' trip to Europe and will visit Liverpool, Oldham and London.

Miss Helen A. Dow, Miss Lillian A. Stront and Miss E. Laura Moore are with Mrs. H. C. Moore at Ocean Park for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Susannah Simpson of Westford street gave a small whist party yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Meriel Hill of Indianapolis.

Mr. Edward Tucke, Jr., of Nesmith street spent a few days with the Misses Shaw at Hotel Fiske, Old Orchard, last week.

Dr. J. B. Field will today join his family at Cornhill, Truro, Mass., and will be away the greater part of August.

Mrs. Robert Gallagher and children of Pleasant street leave Monday for Old Orchard.

Miss Mary White of Cambridge is visiting her cousin, Miss Catherine White of Willie street.

Mrs. McCort and Misses Sadie and Jennie McCort have returned from a stay at Revere, and on Monday will leave for a two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Miss Lena Stafford of Hildreth street will visit in upper New York state during August.

Rev. Fr. Francis J. Mullin of St. Michael's has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent at the Rangeley lakes, Maine.

Miss Fannie Kendall is spending a two weeks' vacation in Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Fannie Turner of this city is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Maxfield at Hampton beach.

Mrs. R. E. Laforest of 773 Merrimack street, with her two nieces, Miss Helen and Eva, have gone to the Rhode Island beaches. They will visit relatives in Franklin and Woonsocket.

Miss Rose Ovington, Miss Ellen Greenall, Miss Vina McDermott, Miss Nellie O'Hara will sail for England, Tuesday, Aug. 2, to visit relatives in Cheshire and London and before returning will visit Belfast, Ireland.

Mrs. Albert Spony of 3rd street has gone visiting friends and relatives in New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Kittie Deane and Miss Mary Kelley of Pawtucketville will spend the next two weeks at Salisbury beach.

Miss Bertha Wilkins of 21 Common street has gone on a five weeks' vacation to Chazy, N. Y.

Miss Mary E. McGovern of the Weed street school and Miss Nellie Peterson start on Monday for Cottage City to spend the month of August.

CANOBIE LAKE PARK.

One may well anticipate a pleasant afternoon or evening's entertainment if one contemplates visiting the rustic theatre at Canobie Lake park next week. The program will be supplied by J. W. Gorman's Imperials, one of his best companies.

The names of Ward and Curran may well be placed at the top of the list, for seldom have two funnier comedians appeared upon the vaudeville stage. They offer a sketch called "A Terrible Judge" and one cannot begin to judge from the name how "terribly" funny it is. One of the two men impersonates a judge and the other the prisoner. The admonition of the judge and the repartee of the prisoner invariably set the audience shrieking with laughter.

The Quigley brothers, Bob and George, are scoring a great laughing hit with their new conversational sketch, "A Congressman at Large." They invariably win rounds of well merited applause.

In the line of acrobatics of a high and artistic order Reed and Shaw have few equals and no superiors. They give an exhibition of grand and lofty trapeze work, posturing and muscular gymnastics that fairly makes the audience hold its breath.

Henry and Hoon, the illustrated song men, will present their ever-pleasing specialty. Mr. Henry's rich baritone voice is heard to an advantage in a number of the latest successful songs while Mr. Hoon's pictures add greatly to the charm.

Bowley and Leslie are said to present the best costumed act in vaudeville. The gowns worn by Miss Leslie will make the average woman turn green with envy. Their specialty consists of dancing and impersonations. Miss Leslie's baby impersonations are justly famous.

MRS. MAYBRICK

Asks Police Protection From Reporters

LONDON, July 30.--The Associated Press learns that Mrs. Florence Maybrick has been obliged to alter her plans for her American trip in consequence of nervous prostration, from which she has suffered since her release.

It is not likely that Mrs. Maybrick will be able to start before the end of August, if then. She is in no condition yet to personally acknowledge the very many letters and telegrams of congratulation which have been greatly appreciated. Her mother's house at Rouen, France, is literally besieged by reporters, who in behalf of London newspapers patrol the neighboring streets, watch the house day and night, attempt to scale the high walls of the garden and otherwise force an entrance into the grounds. The nuisance has become so great that the police have been requested to suppress it.

SHOT AND KILLED

Men Were Then Robbed of $3,000

JOHNSON, Pa., July 30—While on their way from Portage to Puritan provided with a satchel containing in the neighborhood of $300 with which to pay the employes of the Puritan Coal Company Paymaster Patrick Campbell and Charles Hays, his driver, were shot and killed by three highwaymen about 10.30 o'clock today. The robbers escaped with the booty. Search is being made for them.

MAYOR COLLINS

Summoned to Court on Firemen's Bill

BOSTON, July 30—Mayor Collins and Fire Commissioner Russell have been summoned to appear before the Supreme Judicial Court Tuesday to answer to a writ of mandamus compelling them to put into operation an ordinance passed by the City Council under authority of the Legislature, which so prescribes the hours of labor of firemen in Boston that each fireman shall have one day off in five, instead of one in eight.

The action was brought by Martin P. Cavanaugh through his counsel, Henry D. Yeaton, and alleges that Mayor Collins and Fire Commissioner Russell have failed to comply with the ordinance passed by the City Council, and further alleges that Mayor Collins did not return the ordinance with his disapproval as required by the city charter, in view of which fact he claims the ordinance is in full effect and should be in full operation.

Alderman Kneeland introduced an ordinance giving the firemen one day off in five.

On May 23 the ordinance was favorably reported upon by Alderman Slattery and was adopted and sent to the Common Council for concurrent action.

On June 2 the Common Council considered the ordinance and adopted it.

Not later than June 6 the ordinance was sent to Mayor Collins for his approval, and he failed to return the same to the board in which it originated within 10 days, as provided by the city charter of 1854.

The petitioner intends to offer in evidence the fact that in 1899 the rules of the fire department were changed by Mayor Quincy and Fire Commissioner Russell to allow the firemen one day off in eight instead of 12 days, and also the failure of Mayor Collins to return the ordinance as required by the city charter.

PROMINENT BANKER DEAD.

BEVERLY FARMS, Mass., July 30.—Henry C. Weston, prominent in Boston financial circles, being a director of several of the leading trust companies, died at his summer home here today.

WOMAN FATALLY BURNED.

SOMERVILLE, July 30—Mrs. Elizabeth Stuart was probably fatally burned at her home today as the result of pouring kerosene on a slow fire. She is 46 years old.

WOMAN APPOINTED.

WASHINGTON, July 30—Mrs. Alister has been appointed postmaster at Clarksville, N. H., a fourth class office.

AUGUST IS QUARTER MONTH AT Washington Savings Institution

Pays 4 Per Cent.

Don't Delay Depositing

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Cures Colds; Prevents Pneumonia

The Product of the 7-20-4 10c Cigar Factory is now larger than that of any individual manufacturer in New England. The name R. G. Sullivan stamped on every cigar insures quality.
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FOR ONE DOLLAR

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

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C. C. A. CIGAR CO., - - BOSTON

BRUTAL ASSAULT

Dover Man Pounded With a Revolver

WAS ATTACKED ON HIS OWN DOORSTEP

Assailant First Tried to Shoot Him

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 1.—Joseph Dondero, an aged fruit dealer, was the victim at midnight on Saturday, of a murderous assault, robbery being the motive.

Mr. Dondero, who is nearly 70 years of age, left his store at the corner of Central avenue and 3d street for his home at 22 East street, a little before midnight. He was alone. When turning into New York street from Central avenue, he says he saw three men standing at the corner. Hearing footsteps behind him when he had gone a short distance down New York street and having nearly $300 in money on his person he quickened his pace, and had reached the doorstep of his home when suddenly a man sprang from behind and without saying a word struck him over the head with the butt end of a revolver. The first blow felled the fruit dealer and in quick succession it was followed by several more blows.

One of Mr. Dondero's neighbors says he heard unearthly cries, and about the same time heard a voice say, "Cheese it, cheese it; they're after us." John Farley, gate tender of the Boston & Maine railroad, who lives across the street, says he first heard home scuffling, followed by a cry of "Help, help; tramps are killing me!"

Mrs. Dondero and her son Joseph, who had not retired, when they heard the noise, forced a screen out of a window, and this frightened off the highwayman, his course being through back-yards and over fences in the direction of a lonely vacant lot off Dover street. Mr. Dondero, insensible was assisted into the house, with his head and face covered in blood.

The police and Dr. Stephen Young were quickly called, and the injured man's wounds were dressed. While of a very serious nature, it is not thought that they will prove fatal. Beside six deep gashes in the head and several bruises, Mr. Dondero's face and eyes bear marks of violence and discoloration.

So hurried was the flight of Mr. Dondero's assailant that the bloody revolver was left behind, the weapon being found upon the sidewalk. It was a five-barreled, 38-calibre revolver, and an attempt had been made to fire two of the four cartridges the chamber contained. The police believe that the intention was to shoot Mr. Dondero while he was going through a lonely lot that he usually crosses on his way home, and that as a last resort the weapon was used to pound the aged fruit dealer into insensibility.

SAFE ROBBED

HOME OF SISTERS ENTERED BY BURGLARS.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The police last night learned that a safe burglary was committed in a mysterious manner Friday night at the house of the sisters of St. Bartholomew on North street. The safe contained $475 which had been raised by the sisterhood and was to be expended the next day to settle the monthly debts of the organization.

It is believed that access to the building was gained during Friday night by a rear door, and the safe, which is an old fashioned one, forced without much difficulty.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

TERRA COTA WORKS SUFFER HEAVY LOSS.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1—The group of four buildings of the ornamental terra cota works owned by Conkling, Armstrong and company, at Wissahicken avenue and Bristol street, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is estimated at $150,000, fully covered by insurance. The concern employed 200 men and had orders on hand to the amount of $500,000.

LOCAL ELKS

WILL ATTEND OUTING AT CANOBIE LAKE ON WEDNESDAY.

Lowell Lodge, No. 87 B. P. O. Elks has been invited to attend the annual outing of Haverhill Lodge No. 165 B. P. O. Elks which will occur at Canobie Lake Park, Wednesday, Aug. 3rd. A ball game between Lawrence Lodge and Haverhill Lodge of Elks will be an attractive feature of the day. A large delegation from Lowell Lodge will attend.

SCHEDULES OF BANKRUPTCY.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Dr. Wm. E. Woodend, the broker whose suspension a few months ago attracted much attention today filed schedules of bankruptcy in the United States district court. An involuntary petition in bankruptcy against him was filed several months ago. The schedules shows debts to the amount of $196,774 and assets of $153,301. None of the liabilities are secured. The creditors number 500 and are scattered throughout the United States and Canada.

MIDSHIPMAN CLAY DEAD.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 1.—George Francis Clay of Grand Rapids, Mich., a member of the class of 1907 at the Annapolis Naval academy, died of pneumonia at the Memorial hospital about midnight last night. Midshipman Clay was taken to the hospital from the Monitor Florida, one of the vessels of the division of the North Atlantic squadron now stationed here and had been ill for a little over a week.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Fire yesterday destroyed the establishment of the Shilbest Mercantile company. Loss $125,000.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

CASE OF SUICIDE

Paige Not Victim of Foul Play

MALDEN, Aug. 1.—The body of Clarence A. Paige, who has been missing from his home, 41 Linden avenue, since Wednesday forenoon, was found yesterday morning by a searching party in the Middlesex Fells, just over the Malden line in Melrose and only a short distance from the head of Sumner street in Malden. There was a long and deep gash in the throat, and near the body a long knife, such as is used by the bootmakers in the rubber factory, was found.

It was a clear case of suicide, according to the police, who made an investigation. In the pockets was found a pocketbook containing $200 in bills, which was just the amount he received Tuesday after settling up the estate of his mother, who died a few months ago.

Wednesday, when he left his home, he told his wife that the estate of his mother had been settled and that there was no need of any further worrying about the matter. When he left the house he said he was going to the Fells rubber shop, where he was employed as bootmaker, to get his work ready for the following day. He left his watch and chain at home, but took the $200 with him, stating that he would pay the undertaker. He was seen at the rubber shop at 3.30 Wednesday afternoon, where he told some of his fellow-workmen that he would be back the next day. That was the last seen of him and his wife and friends, had feared that he met with foul play at the hands of someone who knew he had money with him.

He was a member of several fraternal organizations, including the Knights of Pythias, the Knights of Malta and the Red Men of this city. Paige had not been feeling well the past year, although he worked steadily in the rubber shop.

Paige was born in Malden 46 years ago and leaves a wife, but no children. His friends now say that he probably killed himself while suffering from mental aberration brought on by worry in connection with the settlement of his mother's estate.

SEARCH BY MOB

Armed Posse Looking For Suspected Man

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 1.—A Free Press special from St. Joseph, Mich., says:

An armed posse is scouring the swamps near this city in search of a suspect who is thought to be lying in hiding mortally wounded. A pitched battle occurred yesterday between Deputy Sheriff Detample and two suspects, who were complained of for an attempted assault. The deputy was slightly wounded and nearly fifty shots were exchanged, the two suspects leaving a trail of blood when they escaped. One of them was arrested later when he ventured into the city to secure aid for his companion. He refused, however, to reveal the hiding place of the wounded man.

NEARLY KILLED

Capt. Bonavita Attacked by a Lion

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Capt. "Jack" Bonavita was all but torn to pieces by the big African lion Baltimore last night in the Bostock arena at Coney Island, before a holiday crowd of 3000 persons. The animal raked Bonavita with its long claws, threw him against the back wall of the den, and as he was falling, tore the muscles from his arm from the tip of the shoulder to the elbow. As the trainer struggled to his feet again the huge beast snatched his left hand within his jaws and crushed the hand shapeless. Bonavita, almost swooning, emptied a revolver full of blank cartridges into his face.

In the brief moment that the enraged beast halted, Frank C. Bostock sprang through the cage door and he snatched the limp form of the swooning trainer from beneath the very body of the lion. A fusilade of revolver shots from 20 attendants at the walls of the cage checked the beast a second, and in that second Bostock had carried Bonavita to safety.

The audience fell into panic. Fully 20 women in the audience swooned and were carried to the open air. Many children became hysterical.

Bonavita was removed to the Reception hospital. It is scarcely hoped that he can live unless the arm is amputated.

Baltimore is the most savage of the lions with the show. Two weeks ago he clawed the eyes of his trainer and only ten days ago the unaintable brute led another attack on Bonavita.

Bonavita pleaded to go on again, and was granted a farewell performance with his 27 lions Thursday night. Every precaution was taken, and he went through the act without mishap.

Bostock on Saturday consented to Bonavita's request to be allowed to start a new group, and he was given eight lions. He felt amply able to handle them when he had managed 27 so many times. Last night was his first appearance with the small group.

The thrilling termination of the performance practically ends Bonavita's career as a lion tamer. Even if he escapes with his arm, he will not be able to enter an arena for many weeks, and it is not believed that the police will sanction a repetition of the act that has so many times nearly cost him his life.

SENATOR HOPKINS

SAYS REPUBLICANS WILL CARRY ILLINOIS.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—President Roosevelt had several conferences today with political leaders. Senator Hopkins of Illinois stated that he had gone over very thoroughly the political situation in Illinois. He expressed the opinion that Illinois would give the president a majority of 100,000. The president is watching the development of the meat strike carefully but he has no present intention of interfering in any way.

Senator Foraker of Ohio, Speaker Cannon and Representative Overstreet of Indiana, also secretary of the republican congressional committee, conversed with the president.

SANDWICH LAW

Scored by the Rev. Mr. Kenngott Yesterday

LIFE PRESERVER OF THE SUNDAY HOTEL

Criticism of the Law and its Application

At the First Unitarian Congregational church, Sunday evening, the pastor, Rev. George F. Kenngott, talked about the sandwich and the saloon, finding his inspiration in Isaiah 5:20 "Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil."

He said in part:

"With your own eyes you can see what the licensed saloon is doing in Lowell this year. Its doors are open, inviting the mechanic on his way to the shop, the merchant to his store, the child on his way to school or at play. Not one of us half realizes the terrible sad havoc wrought not alone by the low dive, the kitchen barroom and 'speak-easies,' but still more by the eminently respectable saloon and the 'Hotel,' where respectable men go for the social glass, and no drunkard is allowed.

"Last year we had no license in Lowell and thousands of gallons of intoxicating liquors were brought into our city by express. Notwithstanding all that liquor thus imported, the arrests for drunkenness were much less last year. There were not so many men leering and reeling on our streets. Monday mornings did not bring so large a company of drunken men and women before our police court. The jail on Thorndike street was not so full. One did not meet so many drunkards on the streets. One does not have to study statistics to prove that there was less intemperance, less of drunkenness and crime last year than this, with all the importations of liquor, with all the illegal selling in 'speak-easies,' 'hip-pockets,' etc. The saloon doors were not wide open. The traffic was altogether illegal. Difficult as it is to enforce no-license, is it much more difficult to enforce the license law. The license laws are fearfully and wonderfully made. It is difficult to enforce but easy to evade them.

"The saloon and its victim are never satisfied. Not content with having open doors six days in the week, by virtue of the vote of Lowell citizens, and the award of the police commissioners, in the guise of hotels, they are keeping open house for the public on Sunday, few of whom sleep in the hotel beds, or even eat the delicate sandwich that must be brought with the liquor. What is to hinder any liquor dealer from putting up a bunk or two in his spare bedroom, getting a hotel license and making Lowell wide open on Sunday for drunkenness, lust and all manner of evil?

"The conscience of the saloon is not tender, the conscience of the drunkard is not sensitive. Law is a barrier, but that is a poor law that cannot be perverted. The saloon raises up a brood of legalists—pharisees—who strain at a comma or a semicolon, really evade the law relating to Sunday closing by calling themselves hotels, issuing a small sandwich, raising the price of the beer, or the sandwich on Sunday and flaunting themselves in the face and eyes of those who desire a Sunday for worship and rest, for religious culture and the development of the good and pure life.'

It was bad enough in the last license year, to see men sneaking in the back doors of hotels, and through devious ways to a bed-room or a wine cellar for their Sunday grog. It is worse, under the guise of the law, to see men, by the scores, in full view of men, women and children on their way to and from church, seated at tables drinking their liquor at their ease, without shame, without reproach, flattering themselves they are good, law-abiding citizens, because they are drinking the liquor in a so-called "hotel," and have paid extra for the privilege of drinking it on Sunday. But the sandwich! The life-preserver of the Sunday hotel and the Monday saloon! The open saloon on Sunday, none the less a saloon, though it has a few bed-rooms, and calls itself a hotel, ought to be worth several hundred votes for no-license at the next election. The saloon element is not so wise nor shrewd as it thinks itself to be. It may be relied on to overleap the mark. The church-going public may not be as wakeful as the saloon power, but the saloon may be relied on to give the noose on the public's neck an extra twist which arouses it from its lethargy. It did just that in the original package matter. For the sake of the increased revenue from the licensed saloon, the religious voters will endure much, but we did not count on licensing so many hotels as Sunday saloons. We may be willing to have dust thrown in our eyes, but the sandwiches are hard enough to wake us up. Does the law prescribe the size of the sandwich and the size of the glass of liquor that is issued with it? Can a patron prolong his sandwich for several glasses? Must he have a little sandwich with every great mug. Are all of these men who are in the Sunday hotel saloons bona-fide guests? As to the argument so frequently used last autumn that no-license raised the tax rate, we have received the precious revenue from the licensed saloons, and now are informed that the tax rate will have to remain about the same! In view of the increased expense of operating the police court, county jail, city farm, and the other great institutions, it is rather remarkable that the tax rate will not be increased. With all our high tax rates, our streets remain as before; the children of Centralville and the Highlands will still remain in crowded school-rooms and corridors, the people of Pawtucketville must be content with their bridge, while the boys must be satisfied with the canals instead of a municipal bath house. It is true, we did have something of a Fourth of July celebration this year which we had to forego last year. Perhaps if we go on voting for the saloon, and charge something extra for Sunday we might be able to afford a Labor Day celebration next year, and all have a free ride 'over the hill to the poorhouse.' My plea is for no-license for the next year."

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

After the morning service at the Westminster Presbyterian church yesterday, the congregation took an informal vote in favor of asking Rev. Andrew P. Gibson of Pittsburg, Pa., to become their pastor. Mr. Gibson has been supplying the pulpit for several weeks.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the Immanuel Baptist church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. R. E. True spoke upon "Some Elements of a Successful Church." In the evening, "Favorite Hymns of the Church and Their Authors," was the subject, and the pastor gave a brief historical and biographical sketch. The hymns thus chosen were sung as a part of the service, the choir and congregation joining. Mr. True sang the solo to "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," one of the hymns chosen for the evening.

STEARNS GROVE.

Three hundred people were in attendance at the Stearns grove meeting yesterday afternoon. Rev. S. T. Ford, D. D., of the First Baptist church, was the speaker, and his sermon on "The Sale of a Man," was interesting. The music was by the choir of the Immanuel Baptist church, Charles E. Woodbury, leader. Mr. C. W. Johnson as soloist.

CENTRALVILLE M. E.

"Divine Appointments With Men," was Rev. F. M. Pickles' sermon subject at the Centralville M. E. church, yesterday. He said that to such as observed these appointments our walk on earth was with God. Death was peaceful and triumphant, and by special appointment Christ would meet us in the land which is eternally sunlit and sorrow and sighing would flee away.

Miss Cora Titus sang in rich contralto tones, a solo entitled "Zion," with Miss Lena Luce accompanist.

Four persons were added to the membership of the church and a solemn communion service closed the meeting. Mr. Pickles was assisted in this service by his two local preachers, Gardner Wills and J. H. Jones.

BAND CONCERT

Thousands Enjoyed Last Night's Fine Attraction

A large crowd assembled at the North common last evening to hear a concert in the municipal series by Mirault's Union Musical band. The weather conditions were delightful, brick breeze blowing across the great amphitheatre fraught with relief to thousands of heated brows, while a red summer moon shed a soft light upon the scene.

A walk through the common during the concert would convince the most careful municipal economist that $600 spent on a series of band concerts was money well spent, for all kinds and conditions were there, the denizens of the poorer quarters of the city being in the majority, for to them a free concert in a public breathing place is a great boon.

Pleasure shown from hundreds of faces as the band poured forth its melodies, most of which were the popular kind well known to all. But one thing is needed to make the concerts supremely successful and that is more police protection.

The opening of the concert was marred by a crowd of howling urchins who went from place to place, annoying everyone withing reach and hearing, until driven away by a policeman.

AUTOPSY PERFORMED

WOMAN FOUND DEAD IN LUMBER CAMP.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 1.—Mrs. Annie Thibault of this city died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning under what the police consider peculiar circumstances at her husband's lumber camp, about three miles from this city.

The police were notified last night. In the absence of Medical Referee J. T. Greeley of this city, Referee George M. Davis of Manchester, was called. He was furnished with the necessary papers by County Solicitor E. H. Wason and an autopsy was performed last night.

Mrs. Thibault was living with her fourth husband, Antoine Thibault. In the camp the only other woman was his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Samuel Thibault. The dead woman was taken sick at midnight Saturday night, and after vomiting for two hours she died. She was 61 years old.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The annual meeting of the Congregation Oham Sholam was held last night and the following officers were elected: President, L. Caner; vice president, Mr. Baker; treasurer, Mr. Courts; financial secretary, Mr. Shapero; recording secretary, Mr. Levin; conductor, Mr. Freedman; trustees, Messrs. Vinthrop, Glasberg and Vise.

The reports of the treasurer and secretary showed the society to be in a flourishing condition.

DROWNED IN CLAY PIT.

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 1. Clarence Conrad, 20 years old, was drowned yesterday afternoon while bathing in a clay pit in Graham's brick yard. The body was recovered.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE—By virtue of a license granted to me by the Probate court in and for the county of Middlesex as the administratrix of the estate of John O'Neil late of Lowell in said county deceased, I will sell at public auction on the premises on Saturday the sixth day of August, A. D. 1904, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described parcel of real estate of said deceased, to wit:

A certain parcel of land on the westerly side of Coburn street in said Lowell, bounded—Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Coburn street and at southeast corner of lot No. 58 as laid down on a plan of land drawn by William F. Osgood of the Richardson forefield so called thence running westerly along said lot No. 58, 33 45-100 feet, thence southerly 40 50-100 feet to a new street called L street; thence easterly along said L street 31 98-100 feet to said Coburn street; thence northerly along said Coburn street 40 50-100 feet to the point of beginning.

The purchaser must deposit with or secure to the auctioneer $150.00 as soon as property is struck off. Other terms made known at time of sale.

BRIDGET O'NEIL, Administratrix.
J. J. & W. A. Hogan, Attorneys.
Lowell, Mass., July 21, 1904.

MISCELLANEOUS

CARPETS CARPETS. CARPETS. Cleaned on your floor. No dust. No dirt. No work for you. Thos. Don, 56 Massachusetts Corporation, Merrimack Square.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 576 Bridge street. Ladies your attention is called to see our silent ball-bearing, light-running, rotary machine, it excels all others. We repair all makes of sewing machines, give us a call.

T. BEAUCHEMIN & M. FOURNIER, express and furniture moving in and out of city, pianos handled with great care, office 334 Middlesex st., residence 300 Princeton st.

REAL ESTATE MEN, property owners, etc. Will paper your room, furnishing gold paper and border to match, and hanging same in a first class manner for $2 per room. Special prices quoted on more than one room. Painting, whitewashing, etc., at correspondingly low prices. D. Baker & Co., 150 Gorham st.

IF YOUR STRAW HAT is looking dusty or dirty just call at Joe Delorme the Hater, 261 Middlesex st. where you can have it cleaned and pressed at short notice. Hats made to order.

BRICKLAYING, PLASTERING, whitewashing and chimney repairing a specialty at low rates. 3 Cady st.

RAILROAD AND COMMERCIAL telegraphy taught thoroughly by an experienced telegrapher, positions guaranteed when competent. H. L. Whitten, 93 Gorham st.

BENT'S NO. 2 for excessive sweating feet; harmless, 25c at Falls and Burkinshaw's only, corner Middlesex and Thorndike sts.

DRINK GLORIA for new and vigorous life. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 250,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Middle aged lady would like housework or minding children. A W., Sun Office.

SITUATION WANTED—Doing general housework by a Norwegian young woman. Apply at 120 London street.

SITUATION WANTED—Would like position as housekeeper in widower's family or would care for invalid. Address Housekeeper, Sun Office.

WANTED—A job on a farm, can do almost any kind of farm work. Address 41 Aurey st.

WANTED—A chance to work as clerk in grocery or saloon, can talk several languages. Address William Nowrocki, 243 Fayette st.

WANTED—A situation by a middle aged woman to do light housework or care for 1 child under 1 year old. Inquire at 167 East Merrimack st.

WANTED—By a woman of middle age, a place to do housework in a small family, permanence desired more than large wages. Mrs. Scott, 71 London st.

WANTED—Light work around gentleman's place or as watchman by sober, honest man with references. Good home more than pay desired. Inquire at 28 Smith street, James Kelley.

WANTED—By an elderly woman, a situation to care for an invalid or to do light housework. Address Mrs. Lucy this office or call at 152 Appleton st.

NURSE—Thoroughly experienced nurse, capable of acting as midwife, confinement cases a specialty. Address 29 Chestnut square.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY LOANED salaried people, easy weekly payments, no delay, we trust to your honor. Massachusetts Loan Co., 18 Merrimack Sq., 16 Prescott st., Room 9.

MONEY TO LOAN—On credit without security, salaried people, merchants, etc. Easy payments, lowest rates, liberal discount for prompt payments. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate Bldg.

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants boarding house keepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 50 Prescott st., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

PAWNBROKER - Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 313 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 26 Central street.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses, without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, room 26 Associate building.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

DRESSMAKER will make a lady's suit for $3.00 as advertisement. 23 C St.

MRS. ANNA M. COGGESHALL has moved from 24 to 38 Nichols street.

TRADING STAMPS—All colors, we make a specialty of Tea and Coffee, we give 80 stamps with one pound of Baking Powder at 50c; 80 with one pound of our 60c Tea; 60 with our 50c Tea; 10 with our 25c Coffee; 70 with our 30c Coffee; 30 with our 35c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Square.

LADIES—A most satisfactory summer dessert is "Dainty Desserts." Makes delicious puddings by simply adding pure milk. Flavoring if desired. No baking—prepared in a moment's time. Send 10c for full size package, also our booklet entitled "Some Ideas for Desserts." Leopold Anderson Co., Campello, Mass.

PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1070 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

THAT POUND OF COFFEE if bought at Dickson's will be fresh roasted, fresh ground or pulverized and the best coffee you ever had. Double stamps all this week. Dickson's Tea Store, 68 Merrimack st.

BILLIARD AND POOL tables bought, sold and repaired, all work guaranteed. S. Scott, 34 Central st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

NOTICE

This is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Elizabeth Clark, after this date.

GEORGE H. CLARK.

Aug. 1, 1904.

WANTED

TRADING STAMPS—We give 20c per 100 for Green, 12c for Blue. Count your stamps and send them by mail. We forward money order for same. L. E. Gibson, 506 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Mrs. J. S. Wilkinson, 83 First stret.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, vicinity Central or Gorham sts. N. E., Sun Office.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line. Take Boston car.

LYING IN HOSPITAL—This is the only place of its kind in this vicinity and is so equipped as to accommodate all classes. Mrs. Blanchard, 685 Pleasant street, Dracut Centre. Telephone 734-4.

WANTED—Children to board in country desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Box 163, Billerica Centre.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 50c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

HELP WANTED

WANTED A good experienced table girl. Inquire 39 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—By a young woman, a place as housekeeper in a small family and a child 7 years old. Address this office, Mrs. S. M.

WANTED—Representatives in Lowell and vicinity for the Equitable Banking Company. Steady work and good pay. W. D. Cobb, 26 Central st., Room 2.

WANTED—A woman to do housework and to take care of children. Apply at 98 West Sixth street.

WANTED—A cook at once. 28 Robinson st.

WANTED Manager for branch office we wish to locate here in Lowell. Address, with references. Morris Wholesale House, Care this paper.

WANTED—Men wanted at the factory of the American Mason Safety Tread Co., Perry st.

WANTED—A girl in a Greek Coffee House. Call at 594 Market st.

WANTED—Farm hand, must be temperate. Inquire at 40 Middlesex st., room 18.

WANTED—First class agents to represent us in Lowell and vicinity, liberal terms to right men. Apply Manager 13 Merrimack Square, Room 1.

AGENTS WANTED—Lady or gents for this city at once, to sell the New Improved Filter. You can have pure water at any faucet. Write and our general agent will call. Address Filter, Sun Office.

WANTED—A kitchen girl, no washing to do. Apply 111 Westford st.

WANTED—Three or four good spinners wanted on D. & F. long mules that are willing to work steady for good pay, no other need apply. Family help preferred. Cochrane Mfg. Co., Dedham, Mass.

LADIES—Earn $20 per hundred writing short letters. Send stamped envelope for particulars. Ideal Mfg. Co., Cassopolis, Mich.

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SUMMER RESORTS

NAHANT BEACH—Furnished rooms to let by the day or week. 12 and 14 Suffolk st., Lynn, Mass.

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TWO FRAUDS.

The merchant who would try to sell a pair of shoes without opening the box in which they came from the factory, would be regarded as a fraud and a trickster, and the newspaper which denies to the advertiser all the information he desires in reference to its circulation, must not expect the confidence of its patrons.

FOR SALE

STOP, THINK—Men's Goodyear welt sample shoes for sale at cost prices, Stover & Henn, Hood Bldg.

FOR SALE—Books, law, religious and miscellaneous. Boscawen and Hollis Town Histories. Large and small lots of books purchased. Merritt, 277 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE—Milk route, $350; variety store, $75; bakery and store, $300; cigar and tobacco store, $100; barber shop and store, $200; lodging house, 17 rooms, $125; grocery store, $250. All these places are great bargains. Apply Greene, 104 Central st.

FOR SALE—First class lodging house, centrally located, 18 rooms all rented, must be sold at once on account of sickness. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Near centre of the city, a large fruit, tobacco and confectionery store, takes in from $100 to $125 a week, cheap for cash. Address, H. D., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—A desirable house lot containing 5200 sq. ft. situated on Madison street. High and dry, city water, gas and sewer on the street. Inquire J. T. Hornby, 41 Madison st.

FOR SALE—Steam carriage, built to order, New Stanley engine and Stanley '04 burner; price, $350. "B," 434 Haverhill st., Lawrence, Mass.

FOR SALE—First class lodging house, finest location in Boston. 498 Columbus avenue.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE—For sale by family giving up housekeeping Apply at Sun Office.

PIANO FOR SALE—Also household furniture at 103 East Merrimack st.

FOR SALE—Two second hand safes and one cash register. Inquire at 23 East Merrimack st.

TO LET

TO RENT—2 upstair flats on Middlesex st. Nos. 1105 and 1107, one has bath, set tubs and range. See owner, 55 Harvard st.

TO LET—A good tenement at a low rent in Brown's Block, Marshal street. Key at No. 4.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Very pleasant front and two side rooms. Reasonable to respectable parties. 271 Gorham st., opposite Court House.

TO LET—3 room tenement to man and wife, $7.00 a month. 32 Franklin st.

TO LET—Small tenement fronting on the street. Rent low. Inquire at 154 South street.

TO LET—Furnished rooms at 40 Kirk st.

TO LET—At 85 John st. furnished rooms, no objection to light housekeeping.

TO LET—A nice sunny tenement of 4 rooms $1.25 a week. Inquire at 22 Jewett st.

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TO LET—Furnished rooms single or suite, bath, gas, private house, 151 Branch street. Electrics pass door.

TO LET—Furnished rooms with baths, hot and cold water; steam heat; $1.50 per week and upwards, best rooms for price in city. Apply 201 Middlesex st.

TO LET—Tenement at 341 Lakeview ave. A1 condition, $1.35 to $1.60 per week. Inquire at store.

TO LET—On Riverside st. near the Textile School a modern tenement of seven rooms, bath, pantry and laundry.

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TO LET AT HAMPTON BEACH—Rooms at reasonable rates in a very desirable cottage. Address A. D. Winslow, Hampton Beach, N. H.

TO LET—Furnished room on School street, near Pawtucket. Gentleman preferred. Address C. M. W., Sun Office.

TO LET—Two houses at Salisbury Beach, rent very low, for further particulars address Mrs. A. T. Clark, 75 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 29 Bridge street.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address or call at 19 Dutton street, after 6 o'clock.

TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms 512 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 795 Bridge street.

TENEMENTS—Two room and four room tenements, Chestnut square. Inquire 51 Chestnut street.

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FOR SALE—On Rogers street, Belvidere, two story, ten room house with bath and pantry and seven thousand feet of land all fenced in. Smith & Cavanaugh Donovan building, Central st.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Saturday morning, doctor's day book. Reward Morse's stable, Middlesex street.

LOST—A lady's open face chatelaine watch between Crowley st. Railroad Bridge, Lawrence st. Reward at this office.

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AN OVERTIME GAME

Lowell Played a Heart Breaker With Concord

Tierney and Connors Were Much in Evidence Throughout the Game—McGovern Injured His Finger and Lake Caught a Fine Game

Lowell defeated Concord in a well played snappy game at Spalding park Saturday afternoon before a large gathering of enthusiastic fans, who wanted to see Lowell make it three straight victories against the upriver team.

There were about 180 people present with a good number of ladies and a sprinkling of sports from the village up the river. Young was on the slab for the visiting team and Bushey was doing stunts for Lowell. It was expected that George Grant would make his reappearance in the game this afternoon, but his foot is not yet in condition to allow him to play.

Umpire John Rudderham made his first appearance since his return to the game and received a cordial welcome. The game was called shortly after 3 o'clock with Concord at bat.

FIRST INNING.

Concord failed to score in the first inning. Colburn was the first man up and he struck out. Pulsifer followed him and drew his base on balls. Noblitt hit to short centre field and the ball dropped between Dorgan and McLaughlin and Noblitt reached first while Pulsifer went down to second. Newenham then sent a line drive to McLaughlin which Barney caught, and Pulsifer was caught at second base for a double play.

Lowell scored twice in the first inning. Tierney opened with a single to the left garden and Connors hit to Kane, who fumbled and both men were safe. Dorgan was taken out of the game at this point on account of a sore foot and Cross was substituted. Cross singled to right field scoring Tierney, Newenham making a fumble on Cross' hit. Hickey hit to Young and died at first and Lake hit to Clark and died at the same place, Connors scoring on the put out. Bigbie closed the inning by flying out to Clark.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Concord got a man around as far as third base while Lowell went out in one, two, three order. Kane opened for Concord by striking out, and Diggins was next with a base on balls. On account of a bad foot he was allowed a runner. Lovell flied out to Bigbie, the latter making a fine running catch. Clark hit to centre field and Diggins' runner went to third while Clark went to second on the throw to third. Young hit to McLaughlin and was out at first.

For Lowell, McLaughlin flied out to Noblitt. McGovern was second out on a line drive to Kane and Bushey hit to Clark and was out at first.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

THIRD INNING.

In the opening half of the third Colburn hit a foul tip which McGovern caught on the tip of the first finger of the right hand, knocking a joint out. Being unable to catch any longer he was sent to right field, Tierney was put in left, Bigbie came in to first base and Lake went behind the bat, remarking to the crowd that this was the first time he ever caught a game.

Colburn then struck out. Pulsifer sent a Texas leaguer to centre field and Noblitt hit to Hickey and was the second man out. Lake caught Pulsifer dead out on second, but the umpire called him safe. Newenham closed the inning by sending a foul fly to Bigbie at first.

It was another case of one, two, three in the third inning for Lowell. Tierney hit to Clark and was out at first. Connors flied out to Clark and Cross struck out.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

FOURTH INNING.

In the fourth, Kane foul flied to Bigbie and Diggins got a grounder which Billy Conners was so sure of getting that he allowed it to go through his legs. Lovell struck out. Clark flied out to Tierney who made a pretty running catch.

Hickey opened the fourth for Lowell by flying out to Noblitt. Lake followed with a hit to right center for two bases. Bigbie was the next man up and he hit to Clark and was out at first, Lake going around to third, but Lake failed to score for Barnie McLaughlin closed the inning by striking out.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Concord descended on Bushey in the fifth inning and slammed out six hits with a total of seven and scored three runs. But in justice to Bushey it must be acknowledged that the majority of the hits to center field should have been fielded. Young opened with a hit to short center. Colburn followed with a single to right. Pulsifer hit to left for a single and Colburn tried to make third, but he fell twice while trying to get there on account of a bad shoe and was tagged out. Noblitt hit to Bushey and was out at first. Newenham hit over Tierney's head for two bases and Young and Pulsifer scored. Kane hit to center field scoring Newenham. Diggins hit to center field sending Kane down to third base. Diggins and Kane then tried a double steal and Kane was put out at the plate.

For Lowell, McGovern hit to Young and was out at first. Bushey reached first on an error by Lovell. Tierney foul flied to Diggins. Connors hit one to Kane and beat the ball out to first. Cross hit to Kane and Connors was put out at second.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 2.

SIXTH INNING.

In the sixth, Lovell struck out and Clark hit to deep centre over Cross' head, but just as the ball was going over Low put up his hand and grabbed it. Young drew his base on balls and Colburn closed the inning by flying out to Tierney.

Hickey opened the sixth for Lowell by making a single and as he started to steal second Lake flied out and Hickey was out on the double play. Bigbie drew his base on balls, but in trying to steal second was caught by a mile.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 2.

SEVENTH INNING.

Pulsifer hit a line drive to Hickey and was out at first. Noblitt flied out to Connors. Newenham singled to right field and Kane closed the inning by hitting to McLaughlin and forcing Newenham out.

In the seventh McLaughlin flied out to Newenham. McGovern flied out to Kane. Bushey wound up the inning by flying out to Lovell.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 2.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth Diggins hit to Hickey and was out at first. Lovell flied out to Connors and Clark flied out to Cross.

For Lowell Tierney hit the ball out to the left field fence for a clean two bagger and the crowd yelled themselves hoarse. Connors sent him to third with a pretty sacrifice. Cross flied out to Noblitt and Tierney scored on the play. Hickey hit to right field for a two base hit. Lake hit to Clark and closed the inning.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 3.

NINTH INNING.

Young opened the ninth by flying out to Hickey. Colburn hit to Connors and died at first. Pulsifer got a Texas leaguer to right field. Noblitt flied out to Cross.

Bigbie opened the ninth by striking out. McLaughlin flied out to Colburn. McGovern hit to Young and died at first.

Score—Lowell 3, Concord 3.

TENTH INNING.

Newenham hit a single to left field. Kane sacrificed sending Newenham to second. Diggins got a scratch single sending Newenham to third. Lovell hit to Hickey who threw to McLaughlin getting Kane. He then threw to Bigbie making a double play.

Bushey opened the enth by hitting to Young and dying at first. Tierney drew his base on balls. Connors hit to short right for a hit but Clarke knocked the ball down and threw bad to first, letting Connors get to second and Tierney to third.

Cross hit to Kane and Tierney beat the ball home.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Tierney rf lf	4	3	2	3	2	0	0
Connors 3b	4	1	2	2	3	1	1
Dorgan rf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross cf	5	0	2	2	3	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	0	2	3	4	3	0
Lake 1b c	4	0	1	2	5	1	0
Bigbie lf 1b	3	0	0	0	9	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	0	0	2	6	0
McGovern c, rf	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Bushey p	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	4	9	12	30	13	1

CONCORD.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Colburn lf	5	0	1	1	1	0	0
Pulsifer 1b	4	1	3	3	11	0	0
Noblitt cf	5	0	1	1	3	0	1
Newenham rf	5	1	3	4	2	1	0
Kane ss	4	0	1	1	3	0	1
Diggins c	4	0	2	2	4	2	0
Lovell 3b	5	0	0	0	1	0	1
Clark 2b	4	0	1	1	3	5	1
Young p	3	1	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	44	3	13	14	28	12	4

*Winning run made with one man out.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Lowell	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	—4
Concord	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Earned runs—Lowell 1, Concord 3. Two base hits—Lake, Newenham; Tierney, Hickey. Sacrifice hits—Connors, Kane. Stolen bases—Tierney 2. Double plays—McLaughlin and Hickey; Newenham and Pulsifer; Hickey, McLaughlin and Bigbie. Strike outs—By Bushey 5, by Young 3. Bases on balls—Off Bushey 3, off Young 2. Umpire—Rudderham. Attendance—1800. Time of game—2h.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Manchester 3, Nashua 0 (first game) Manchester 3, Nashua 1 (second game), attendance 1200.

Lowell 4, Concord 3 (10 innings), attendance 1400.

New Bedford 3, Lawrence 2 (first game—13 innings); New Bedford 7, Lawrence 0, (second game), attendance 1500.

Haverhill 4, Fall River 3, attendance 1100.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago 6, Boston 4, attendance 14,101.

New York 3, St. Louis 2 (first game) New York 9, St. Louis 2 (second game), attendance 12,207.

Cleveland 9, Washington 4, attendance 5495.

Philadelphia 4, Detroit 1, attendance 9,700.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston 6, Brooklyn 0, attendance 8,500.

New York 6, Philadelphia 4, attendance 11,835.

Chicago 3, Cincinnati 0, attendance 7,000.

Pittsburg 5, St. Louis 2 (first game—10 innings), Pittsburg 2, St. Louis 1 (second game; attendance 7,850.

SUNDAY GAMES.

Chicago 9, St. Louis 5.
Pittsburg 7, Cincinnati 1.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	53	22	.707
Lowell	58	33	.535
Nashua	39	37	.516
Fall River	38	39	.494
Concord	36	38	.486
Manchester	35	39	.473
New Bedford	35	40	.467
Lawrence	24	50	.324

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	52	33	.612
New York	50	33	.602
Chicago	53	35	.602
Cleveland	47	35	.573
Philadelphia	46	38	.548
St. Louis	34	45	.430
Detroit	33	50	.398
Washington	18	61	.220

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	62	24	.721
Chicago	53	33	.616
Cincinnati	52	37	.581
Pittsburg	49	36	.576
St. Louis	48	39	.546
Boston	33	57	.367
Brooklyn	32	59	.352
Philadelphia	22	63	.259

GAMES TODAY.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell at Manchester.
Concord at Nashua.
Haverhill at New Bedford
Lawrence at Fall River.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at New York.

STONY BROOK LEAGUE.

At West Chelmsford—West Chelmsford 22, Graniteville 6.

At Nabnasset Grove—Crescents 5, Middlesex 4.

Pepperell Alumni-Union—Game postponed.

STONY BROOK LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
West Chelmsford	13	4	.764
Crescents	12	4	.750
Unions	7	9	.437
Graniteville	6	10	.375
Middlesex	5	9	.357
Pepperell Alumni	4	11	.266

R. A. TEAM WON.

The ball team of Lowell council, R. A., defeated the James G. Newcomb team of East Boston by a score of 13 to 3 at the Westlands ball grounds Saturday.

The Lowell team took the lead in the third inning. The visitors were weak in fielding, and the locals outplayed them with the bat and on the bases. Conway, Shepard and Carll of Lowell 8 and Cauley of the visitors got two-base hits. The score by innings:

Lowell 8	0	1	0	2	3	2	1	4	*	—13
J. G. Newcomb	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3

On August 13, the Lowell 8 team goes to East Boston for a return game.

The lineup of the teams was as follows:

Lowell 8—Carll ss, Hodgman cf and lf, Coburn p, Shepard c, Campbell 3b, Edgell 1b, Conway 2b and p, Richardson lf and 2b, Russell rf, Fox cf.

James G. Newcomb—Rockwell lf, Cauley ss, Kiernan cf, Farrar 2b, Murray p, Gillespie rf, Cameron c, Mulcahy 3b, Jewkes 1b.

WON TWO GAMES.

At Tewksbury—Almonts 11, Victors 4. Almonts 15, Pawtucket Ends 12.

GAMES THIS WEEK.

(New England League.)

Monday—Lowell at Manchester, Concord at Nashua, Haverhill at New Bedford, Lawrence at Fall River.

Tuesday—Manchester at Lowell, Nashua at Concord (two games,) Haverhill at New Bedford, Lawrence at Fall River.

Wednesday—Nashua at Manchester (two games), Lowell at Concord, Fall River at Haverhill, New Bedford at Lawrence.

Thursday Manchester at Nashua, Concord at Lowell (two games) Fall River at Haverhill, New Bedford at Lawrence.

Friday—Manchester at Concord, Lowell at Nashua, Haverhill at Lawrence, New Bedford at Fall River.

Saturday—Concord at Manchester, Nashua at Lowell, Lawrence at Haverhill, Fall River at New Bedford.

(National League.)

Monday—Philadelphia at New York.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—St. Louis at Boston, Pittsburg at Brooklyn, Cincinnati at New York, Chicago at Philadelphia.

Saturday—Cincinnati at Boston, Chicago at Brooklyn, Pittsburg at Philadelphia, St. Louis at New York.

(American League.)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—Boston at Cleveland, New York at Detroit, Washington at Chicago, Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Friday and Saturday—Boston at Detroit, New York at Cleveland, Washington at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Chicago.

Sunday, Aug. 7—Philadelphia at Chicago, Washington at St. Louis.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Manchester today, a double-header.

Lowell had a great week and demonstrated the fact that the team can play if it wants to.

Perhaps Tierney didn't hold his end up in Saturday's game. He made three of Lowell's four runs, and contributed two hits.

Lake caught a great game and he deserves all the more credit because it was his first this season.

McGovern says it seemed like a vacation to go into right field.

"If he didn't fall down Concord would have won the game and little Tommy on first base line would have won his pool. Young in running from second to third tripped himself up twice and of course was caught out at third.

Billy Connors is getting to be a dead sure hitter.

Of late Hickey and McLaughlin have become unreliable. One day they bat and field like fiends but the next day finds them failing to either field or bat.

After last week Hickey has no excuse for slowness on a base for last week he showed that he could run bases with any of them.

With Grant back and the rest of the team all working we ought to be able to get as good a hold on second place as Haverhill has on first.

Don't forget the date, August 11th. $1.50 is the round trip rate to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad.

WHIPPET RACES

Held on the Fair Grounds Saturday Afternoon

A small crowd of whippet fanciers attended the races at the Fair Grounds Saturday when 27 dogs were entered with nine lively trial heats. The races took up a couple of hours with the usual jockeying and growling of the owners and attendants of the dogs.

After the usual weeding out, Tom, late Toney, owned by Kirk of Methuen, won out by about 2 yds., with Master McGrath, owned by Buckley of Lawrence 2d, and Bonny Boy, owned by Clare of Lowell third. The prizes were $50, $15, and $10, given respectively to the owners of the dogs who took the first three places.

A summary of the afternoon's sport follows:

First heat—Rocksand (Harry's), Methuen.

Second heat—Mistletoe (Ashton), Lawrence.

Third heat—Tom, late Toney (Kirk), Methuen.

Fourth heat—Island Boy (Colagan), Lawrence.

Fifth heat—Bonny Boy (Clare), Lowell.

Sixth heat—Wolcott (Gilligan), Lawrence.

Seventh heat—Young Hopeful (Blackwell), Lawrence.

Eighth heat—Cripple (Tom's), Lowell.

Ninth heat—Master McGrath (Buckley), Lawrence.

Semi-finals—First heat, Master McGrath; second heat, Tom; third heat, Bonny Boy.

Finals—First, Tom, $50; second, Master McGrath, $15, and third, Bonny Boy, $10.

The judges were W. H. Barnber and Hugh Ferguson, and the starter was Matt Melklejohn.

GREAT EXCURSION

FOR THE BENEFIT OF RAILROAD TRAINMEN TO CRESCENT PARK.

About fifteen hundred Lowell people enjoyed the excursion to Crescent park on the Providence river yesterday under the auspices of the Spindle City lodge, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. Thirty carloads of happy people enjoyed the day's outing. The first train of cars left Middlesex street station at a few minutes before eight and the second train left about fifteen minutes later while the third left about ten minutes after the second. The first train reached the park at 10.30, the second fifteen minutes later and the third twenty minutes after the second.

The different places along the pike were visited and a fine time was enjoyed by everybody. Two slight accidents were the only things to mar in any way the pleasure of the day. Lillian Cassidy, residing in Centralville, while going down the shoot the chutes lost her balance and she sustained a bad gash in the forehead. Another Lowell lady was riding around the pony race track when the two-wheeled cart she was riding in toppled over and she received a bad shaking up.

The first section of the train left the park last night at 7.10 and arrived here a few minutes before 10. The second section left at 7.20 and pulled in at the depot at 10.05, but the third section was not so fast, not arriving till 11.10.

The excursion was conducted for the benefit of the Brotherhood of Trainmen under special permission from the railroad commissioners.

BASE BALL
TOMORROW
Manchester vs. Lowell
SPALDING PARK.
ADMISSION - - - - 25 CENTS

MOHAIR RESERVES DEFEATED.

On the Chelmsford street grounds Saturday afternoon the Mohair Reserves were beaten by the Methuen Reserves by three wickets. The score:

MOHAIR RESERVES.

H. Clayton, run out	5
G. Hunt, b Timms	6
J. Whittaker, c Horner, b Timms	1
A. Watson, c Bighton, b Hamer	7
A. Williams, b Timms	1
J. Greenwood, c Littleton, b Timms	6
J. W. Watson, b Timms	6
J. Carter, not out	17
I. Pascall, b Timms	0
J. Rhodes, b Timms	0
J. Jessop, b Timms	2
Extras	6
Total	57

METHUEN RESERVES.

J. Pre, b Greenwood	14
W. Briggs, b Greenwood	24
Addition, c Williams, b Greenwood	0
W. Teel, not out	7
Higton, b Greenwood	0
Hamer, c Hunt, b Greenwood	0
Littleton, b Hunt	2
J. Briggs, not out	2
Extras	2
Total	50

P. Timms, P. Jennings, J. Humphrey, to bat.

BUNTING 87, FITCHBURG 37.

In the Central Massachusetts Cricket League series Saturday afternoon the reserve team of the Buntings defeated Fitchburg 87 to 37, at Wigginville. The best scores by Bunting were Simpson 22, Marriott 13, Robinson 11, Scholes 10, Williams 9. Hopkinson's 17 was the best for Fitchburg. Deacon, Burnett and Asquith bowled for Fitchburg. Marriott of Bunting took three wickets without the batters scoring. Scholes took two for 15 and Birtwistle four for 21. The score:

FITCHBURG.

Asquith, c Nelson, b Scholes	8
Deacon, c Nolan, b Birtwistle	1
Brownell, c Aspin, b Scholes	0
Hopkinson, b Marriott	17
Hurst, c Nelson, b Birtwistle	0
Burnett, c Aspin, b Birtwistle	5
Dyerson, run out	3
Bateman, c Clayton, b Birtwistle	1
Hirst, not out	0
Holdevd, b Marriott	0
Stevens, b Marriott	0
Totals	37

BUNTINGS.

J. Simpson, c Brunnell, b Burnett	22
G. Clayton, b Burnett	2
B. Birtwistle, c Burnett, b Asquith	10
Townsend, c Bateman, b Burnett	2
Robinson, b Burnett	11
Scholes, b Burnett	16
Marsden, c and b Burnett	2
Marriott, b Deacon	17
Nelson, c Deacon, b Burnett	0
Williams, c Deacon, b Burnett	9
Aspin, not out	2
Extras	4
Totals	57

WANDERERS 154, BUNTING 30.

The Lynn Wanderers met the Buntings on the Lynn grounds Saturday afternoon and defeated them, 154 to 30, with only five wickets down. There were many spectators and the Lynns received much applause for their fine playing. The score:

LYNN WANDERERS.

J. Bennett, b Burns	1
Lowe, c Rudden, b Burns	50
Fairbairn, b Patrick	10
Jeffries, stp Clegg, b Rudden	57
Singleton, b Watson	9
Chave, not out	33
S. Bennett, not out	15
Extras	14
Total for 5 wickets	154

Hood, Harrison, Young and E. Bennett did not bat.

BUNTING.

Barber, lbw, b E. Bennett	1
Simpson, c S. Bennett, b Young	0
West, run out	3
Gath, c Singleton, b E. Bennett	7
Watson, stp Jeffries, b Fairburn	0
Rowley, c S. Bennett, b Fairburn	3
Patrick, c Harrison, b E. Bennett	1
Burns, hit wkt, b Fairburn	0
Scholes, b E. Bennett	3
Rudden, c Jeffries, b Fairburn	7
Clegg, not out	0
Extras	7
Total	30

MOHAIR 61, BROCKTON 42.

Mohair defeated the Brockton team in a league game on the Cross street grounds, Brockton, Saturday by a score of 61 to 42. Mosley batted well for 28. For the home team Williams and Orton did the best batting. Both teams did excellent fielding. The score:

MOHAIR.

Shaw, lbw, b Taylor	8
Mosley, c Williams, b Heritage	28
Allen, c Smith, b Orton	0
Houghton c Smith, b Heritage	10
Shuttleworth, b Taylor	0
Whittaker, c Grant, b Taylor	8
Atkinson, b Taylor	0
Harriman, c Taylor, b Heritage	1
Cooper, c Towers, b Heritage	0
Waite, not out	7
Harrison, lbw, b Taylor	1
Extra	1
Total	61

BROCKTON.

Smith, b Allen	0
Grant, b Shaw	3
Williams b Mosley	11
Stringer, lbw, b Allen	2
Orton, c Mosley, b Allen	17
Grimley, lbw, b Mosley	0
Taylor, b Allen	2
Heritage, c Mosley, b Houghton	4
Sykes, b Mosley	3
Poole, c Houghton, b Mosley	0
Towers, not out	0
Total	42

COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.

The adjourned meeting of the Co-operation association was held in Odd Fellows' hall Saturday night with a fair sized attendance. Three of the old directors were re-elected and an auditor. There was a long debate on some amendments to the by-laws. Some of the amendments were adopted while others were carried over until another meeting. The principal argument was over the making of the grocery department separate and declaring its own dividend. It was rejected.

UNION VETERANS' UNION.

The nineteenth annual encampment of the Union Veterans' union will be held in Chelsea on August 16, 17 and 18th. The encampment meeting will be held in Knights of Malta hall and will be called to order at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

ON THE ALLEYS

Bigelows Lead in Lakeview Tournament

DYER THE STAR BOWLER OF THE WEEK

McDonald Made the Best Single String Total

That bowling is the leading indoor sport this summer goes without saying, for this muscle making and enjoyable pastime which is considered a winter indoor sport has become the favorite sport and pastime of a large number of people in this vicinity this summer.

Manager Joseph P. Fox, of the Lakeview bowling alley, has in a large measure been accountable for the sudden boom of the winter sport to be indulged in during the hot months of the year by the offering of special prizes to lady and gentlemen bowlers. The alleys at Lakeview are well patronized during the day and evening especially during the latter time, and bowlers from this city and Nashua together with the people in the suburbs make their way to the lake to enjoy the sport.

The bowling tournament at the Lakeview alleys which commenced Tuesday night with six teams of local players is now well under way and there promises to be some lively contests before the close of the season. The majority of the games during the week were won by small margins and there is intense rivalry among the different teams.

The teams represented in the league are the Fairmounts, Rochambeau council of the Royal Arcanum, Bigelows, Recreations, Princetons and Brownies. It is too early yet to predict which team will win for the players have not as yet got down to very high rolling, but every game sees an increase in the scores.

The standing of the different teams is determined by points, one point being allowed for winning a string and two for the game, there being five points won and lost in every game. At the present time the Bigelows are leading with five points won and none lost. The Fairmounts are second with eight points won and two lost. The Brownies played but one game and won three of the five points while Rochambeau council won two of the five points in their game. The Recreations are fifth with two points won and eight lost and the Princetons are at the bottom of the standing with no points to their credit and five lost.

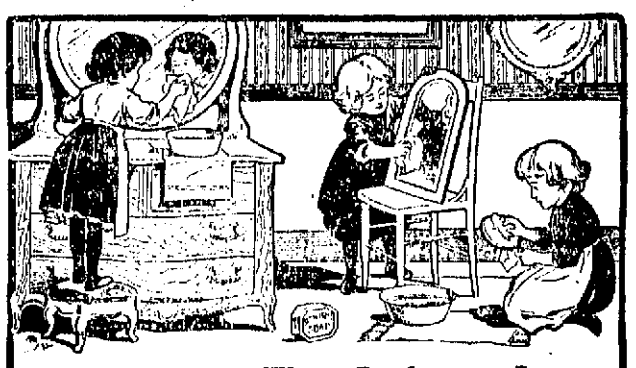
The best team total during the week, 1226, was put up by the Brownies in their game with the Recreations on Friday night. Dyer of the Brownies made the highest three string total, 266, and McDonald of the Bigelows holds the highest single string total, 104, though Dyer is a close second having made a single string of 102.

The following are the averages of the different players in the league, the abbreviations after the name being the team to which that player belongs: Bi, stands for Bigelows; Fa., Fairmounts; Br., Brownies; Ro, Rochambeau council; Re., Recreations; and Pr., Princetons

Dyer, Br., 89; Fullerton, Fa., 86; McDonald, Bi, Marsden, Re, and Barry, Br, 84; Lebrun, Ro, 83; Simpson, Ro, 82; McKinley, Bi, and Salem, Fa, 81; Guimond, Re, and Usher, Bi, 80; Moran, Br, Sweeney, Fa, Ouellette and Pelyette, Ro, Hall, Bi, McGrail Re, and Coleman, Br, 79; Queenan, Fa, Fowler, Fa, and Harrington, Bi, 78; Boucher, Re., 77; Abbott, Fa., 76; Morin, Ro, and Fairweather, Pr, 75; Harper, Pr, 74; Whalen, Fa, and Faucher, Ro, 72; Hutchins, Pr, 71; Gorgan, Pr, 66; and Brown, Pr, 63.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

	Pts. Won	Pts. Lost	P. C.
Bigelows	5	0	1.000
Fairmounts	8	2	.800
Brownies	3	2	.600
Rochambeau	2	3	.400
Recreations	2	8	.200
Princetons	0	5	.000



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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1683 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1904.

JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

14,718 The sworn daily average circulation for seven months of 1904 was: **14,718**

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THE ASSASSINATION OF PLEHVE.

The assassination of Minister Plehve is only what might be expected as the termination of a career in which he was responsible for some of the most despotic measures perpetrated upon the Russian people. He was accused of being the evil genius of the Czar, the man who proposed and offered to carry out the most despotic mandates against the Jews, the Finns and other elements in the empire. If he was instrumental in depriving Finland of her independence, the fate that overtook him was nothing more than he had earned by his official acts.

While assassination is to be discouraged, yet when a people is deprived of liberty, and deprived of the right of free speech, vengeance in this or some other spasmodic form is the only resource left. Such a situation could never obtain in a free country, but where freedom is stamped out and human rights annulled, it is no wonder that the victims of such oppression will seek every practical means of revenge.

HOW YOUNG MEN MAY SUCCEED.

Mr. Editor:—

Last summer I think it was you printed a number of editorials giving some very valuable advice to young men on how to succeed. Why not give a few more of them and let politics alone until after the hot spell. Give the young men a little more of the same kind. Yours, AMBITION.

Here is a little note that to us is very interesting. It is interesting as recalling some kindly advice to young men which we were not certain whether it would be appreciated by anybody. We are exceedingly glad that it is so long remembered, for if it has been kept in mind by one, it has probably been remembered by more, and if clearly remembered, in all probability it has had its effect upon the lives and actions of such young men.

Well, what shall a young man do to succeed? The shortest answer we can give is work! work! But there are various kinds of work. We once saw a lunatic working hard to fill a bottomless tub with water. He was kept day after day at this impossible task with the hope that eventually it would dawn upon him that his task was hopeless.

It is useless to attempt the impossible. It is useless to undertake anything that must necessarily prove a failure or an impossibility.

Work must be directed with intelligence. It is a good plan to do things over and over, each time doing them better than before. It is necessary to excel in order to win success and to excel the efforts must be concentrated upon the main object.

Things nowadays largely turn to specialization. Take the prize fighter for example. He studies and practises that alone and if he excels he succeeds. We mention his method of work as worthy of imitation, not his special art.

The physician who makes a specialty of some branch, such as the eye, the ear, the throat, will make more if he establishes a reputation for skill than he could if he practised his profession in a general way. What is this specialization but concentration of effort upon a single thing?

A man who endeavors to do too much or to spread his efforts to many things can never accomplish much. A man who sticks to one trade and excels therein will accomplish more than he can by dividing his attention and his effort among several trades. "Jack of all trades and master of none," is the reproach of such a man.

It is sheer waste of time to take up one trade after another making but slight progress in any one until it is abandoned for another. What would be thought of a builder who would spend his life constructing foundations without ever showing the perseverance or the concentration necessary to finish any part of the work or to the complete the superstructure?

It is very important that a young man start right, viz. that he be guided by right principles of life and action and after that the most important consideration is that he make good use of his time.

Let him finish one thing before beginning another.

That in a general way will prevent him starting a great many projects and dropping them half done.

Nothing counts except what is finished or completed.

It is a good rule for a young man to confine his efforts to one thing, one task, one undertaking at a time. By endeavoring to carry along several he may spoil all and accomplish nothing. What he must look out for is opportunity. Opportunity is said to be bald headed behind so that it cannot be grasped from the rear.

Tact, decision and courage are needed to go out and grasp opportunities as they appear.

The great complaint of the young man of today is that he has no opportunity to rise.

Let it be understood that the poorest boy today has a better opportunity to advance himself than had some of the men who attained undying fame in years past. All the trades and professions are open to the aspiring young man.

No active and courageous boy need feel abashed on account of poverty. Poverty is no bar to advancement in days like these when education is as free as air and when opportunities abound by which the young man may pay his way by industry and perseverance.

He may become a lawyer, a doctor, a teacher, or a journalist without money if he possesses the necessary talent and the courage to enable him to earn enough to support himself and meet incidental expenses. History teems with instances in which poor boys fought their way to wealth and fame by well directed effort in a chosen line of labor.

The story is related of a Greek slave who won fame as a sculptor in the time of Pericles. Creon had been engaged upon a work of art when the law was passed making it a crime punishable by death for a slave to espouse art. Creon had started his work upon the block of marble. He had devoted his heart and soul to it. He would rather die than abandon it and so in a dark cellar where his sister provided a taper and carried him his food he pursued his work on his knees until he had given it the last touches. About this time all Greece was invited to Athens to behold an exhibit of art. Pericles presided and at his side was his wife Aspasia and the celebrated men of that day—Phidias, Socrates, Sophocles, and others of equal renown. The works of the great masters were there but one group seemed to excel all others and no one knew the author. "Who is the sculptor of this group?" asked Pericles. The heralds repeated the question but there was no answer. Amid great commotion a beautiful maiden, with dishevelled hair was dragged forward and the others cried out: "This woman knows the sculptor." Cleone was called upon to tell the sculptor's name under penalty of death. Still the girl's lips were sealed. Pericles, as the minister of the law, ordered her to the dungeon when a young man with pale face and flashing eyes approached and throwing himself at the feet of Pericles exclaimed: "O, Pericles forgive and save the maid. She is my sister and I, Creon, a slave, am the culprit." From the indignant crowd arose the cry "to the dungeon with the slave."

But Pericles said "No, the highest purpose of the law should be the development of the beautiful," and Aspasia placed upon the brow of Creon the crown of olives and at the same time amid the plaudits of the multitude kissed the cheek of Creon's devoted sister.

It was a case in which devotion to a single task overcame all obstacles and won freedom and celebrity for the slave.

SHOT HIMSELF

Dana Admits He Tried to Suicide

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—Having been told that he would almost certainly die within a very short time, but still believing that he would get well, Samuel L. Dana, the young bank clerk found in Central Park last Friday with a bullet wound close to his heart, admitted yesterday that the wound was self-inflicted. Dana's father is on his way here from Fairfield, Iowa, and will arrive today.

GENERAL LOCKOUT

MAY FOLLOW STRIKE IN NEW YORK SUBWAY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—It was said here yesterday that if the members of the unions who are held responsible for the strike in the subway do not adjust matters promptly, a general lockout may be ordered by the Building Trades Employers association to be followed by an attempt to establish an open shop.

At the meeting of the Central Federation union a more conciliatory attitude was adopted.

At the close of the secret session it was announced that a committee had been appointed to bring about an amalgamation of the two painters' unions, the Brotherhood of Painters and the Amalgamated Painters' society whose fight one against the other led to the subway strike.

If the general lockout is ordered between 25,000 and 30,000 men in Greater New York will be affected.

PRES. ROOSEVELT

SPENT A RATHER QUIET SUNDAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Yesterday was excessively hot and the president and Mrs. Roosevelt spent the greater portion of the time away from the White House. Attired in their riding costumes they left the White House in their carriage in the forenoon and returned about 7 o'clock last evening, after a horse back ride to the farm of a friend in Virginia.

After dinner at the White House President and Mrs. Roosevelt spent the evening quietly, though Secretary Wilson called for a short conference with the president.

DOUBLE DROWNING

TWO MEN VENTURED OUT TOO FAR.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 1—A double drowning took place at Oakland Beach, a summer resort eighteen miles from this city late yesterday afternoon. Michael Slavin and John Dean the victims were bathing. Slavin proposed a swim and the two young men started out from the shore. Cries of distress attracted the attention of a companion who remained on the shore. Both men had overestimated their own strength and when their friend plunged into the water to save them he narrowly escaped a like fate.

The bodies were recovered later and were viewed by the medical examiner at ten o'clock last night. Slavin's home is in Boston while Dean recently came here from Colorado. Both men were employed as waiters in the Wellington, a restaurant connected with one of the big department stores of this city.

HERBERT HANSON DROWNED.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 1.—Herbert Hanson, a painter, 32 years of age, of Saco, was drowned from a yawl here last night. The body was recovered soon afterward. He leaves a wife and child.

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PRODUCTION OF COAL

WHERE OUR SUPPLY COMES FROM IN THIS COUNTRY.

Returns made to the United States Geological Survey show that the United States has again exceeded all previous records in the production of coal. The forthcoming report on the country's coal production, which Mr. E. W. Parker, statistician, will soon make, will show that the total output of the coal mines of this country in 1903 amounted to 359,421,311 short tons. This is an increase of 57,830,872 short tons, or 19 per cent. over the production of 1902, which amounted to 301,590,439 tons. The production of 1903 was nearly double that of 1893, and more than three times the output of 1883. The increase of production in 1903 over 1902 was equal to the total production of all kinds of coal in 1878, only twenty-five years ago.

Large and significant as was the increase in the amount of coal produced, the increase in the value of the product was still more noticeable. The value of the coal product at the mines in 1903 amounted to $505,190,733, which, compared with the value of the output in 1902 ($367,032,069), shows an increase of $139,158,664, or nearly 38 per cent. The percentage of increase in value was almost exactly double that of the increase in production—a significant fact which social scientists may interpret as they please.

Of the total production in 1903, 74,313,919 short tons (66,351,713 long tons) represent Pennsylvania anthracite, valued at $152,036,448. This is in contrast to the production of 1902, when the output was curtailed by the prolonged strike in the anthracite regions and reached only 41,373,595 short tons (36,940,710 long tons), value at $76,173,586. The increase in anthracite production in 1903 over the production of the previous year was 32,940,324 short tons (29,411,003 long tons), or nearly 80 per cent. in quantity, and $75,862,862, or nearly 100 per cent in value. The production of bituminous coal (which includes lignite, or brown coal, semi-anthracite, semi-bituminous and cannel coal, and scattering lots of anthracite) amounted to 285,107,392 short tons, valued at $354,154,285, which, as compared with 1902, when the production was 260,216,844 short tons, valued at $290,858,483, shows an increase of 24,890,548 short tons, or a little over 9 per cent in quantity, and of $63,295,802, or a little less than 22 per cent. in value.

From this it appears that 57 per cent. of the total increase in production, and 54 pt cent. of the increase in value was due to the return of normal conditions in the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania. The average price for a ton of bituminous coal, which is obtained by dividing the total value by the total product, was $1.24 for a short ton in 1903 and $1.12 in 1902. The average price of a ton of anthracite coal was $2.05 in 1903, as against $1.84 in 1902.

Coal Production of the United States in 1903 by States.

State	Total. Product.	Total. Value.
Alabama	11,532,124	$ 14,374,748
Arkansas	2,293,609	3,372,538
California and Alaska	105,620	306,118
Colorado	7,039,268	9,155,810
Georgia and N. C.	434,260	546,759
Idaho	4,250	13,250
Illinois	37,206,667	43,559,691
Indiana	10,995,812	13,367,859
Indian Territory	3,517,358	6,386,463
Iowa	6,852,056	11,304,038
Kansas	5,867,208	5,930,271
Kentucky	7,431,016	7,677,332
Maryland	4,783,053	7,081,453
Michigan	1,410,909	2,787,742
Missouri	4,303,332	6,913,111
Montana	1,505,576	2,472,323
New Mexico	1,543,462	2,105,685
North Dakota	301,105	456,315
Ohio	25,091,892	32,195,275
Oregon	91,144	221,031
Pennsylvania	103,271,057	121,582,539
Tennessee	4,797,246	5,978,555
Texas	925,729	1,605,383
Utah	1,681,409	2,028,058
Virginia	3,511,307	3,365,119
Washington	3,196,273	5,381,939
West Virginia	30,250,408	34,758,495
Wyoming	4,708,303	5,915,951
Total bituminous	285,107,392	354,161,285
Penn. anthracite	74,313,919	152,031,448
Grand total	359,421,311	$505,190,733

Of the thirty states and territories which contributed to the output in 1903, increased production over 1902 was shown in all but four. Two of those in which the production decreased were among the eastern states, Maryland and Georgia, and two were in the Rocky Mountain region of Colorado and Montana. The greatest decrease was shown by Maryland and was probably due to the largely increased output of Pennsylvanian anthracite. Colorado's production fell off only 32,000 tons, notwithstanding the fact that mining operations were seriously affected by labor troubles. There was only one state, Georgia, in which the value of the production was less than in 1902.

The Old Orchard excursion via the Boston & Maine railroad is on August 11th. The round trip rate is $1.50.

LOU DILLON BETTER.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 1.—The condition of Lou Dillon, the trotting mare, who was taken suddenly ill Saturday afternoon was greatly improved last night and the horse is now believed to be out of danger. Her temperature has been reduced from 104 to 102 and is decreasing gradually. She was under the care of the veterinarians all Saturday night and yesterday.

MAN DROWNED.

LEWISTON, Me., Aug. 1—Samuel Robitaille of this city was drowned at Lake Auburn last night by the upsetting of a boat. Robitaille's body has not been recovered.

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MANSLAUGHTER

Serious Charge Against Thomas Sweeney

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 1.—As the result of a quarrel between Thomas Sweeney, 33, and Edmund Bourgeois, 65, both woodchoppers in West Gloucester, yesterday afternoon, the older man sustained injuries from which he died almost instantly and Sweeney is under arrest at the town lockup on a charge of manslaughter. Bourgeois accused Sweeney of having improper relations with his wife and the two men came to blows. The younger man being the more powerful of the two got the better of his antagonist and left Bourgeois lying by the roadside. The man was dead when found by a neighbor. Sweeney was later arrested by the town officers, and was both surprised and alarmed to find that Bourgeois was dead. After his arrest Sweeney said that he struck Bourgeois in self-defense and denied that his conduct with the older man's wife had been anything but proper.

Medical Examiner Harris of Chapachet viewed the remains and found but few bruises on the body. He was unable to determine the exact cause of death. The case was reported to Coroner Frank Davis of Gloucester and an inquest ordered.

TROLLEYS COLLIDED

AND TWENTY-THREE PEOPLE WERE INJURED.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 1.—Twenty-three persons were hurt as the result of a rear end collision yesterday between two trolley cars on the shore line of the Cleveland, Eastern & Painesville railroad near Nottingham, O. Except Mrs. John Heinrich, who is said to be badly hurt, the other passengers sustained only minor bruises.

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HANGED HERSELF

AFTER QUARRELLING WITH HER HUSBAND.

CAMBRIDGE, Aug. 1—After locking out of doors her husband with whom she had quarrelled, Mrs. Minnie Douglas of 245 River street, Cambridgeport last night, ended her life by hanging. When the husband succeeded in forcing an entrance to the house he found the woman dead.

PAID $80,000

MOTHER WANTED QUIT CLAIM DEED ON HER CHILDREN.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Aug. 1.—Interest in the suit for divorce of Mrs. Fenton P. Finch, a Virginia heiress, has been intense. The testimony, now complete, was closely followed and the decision is anxiously awaited by friends of the Finches here.

During the trial Mr. Finch was asked if his brother was not about to sue him for $5000, claimed for having "worked up" the marriage between Finch and Miss Martha A. Melson, the Newport News heiress. The 10-year-old daughter of the Finches produced on the witness stand a rawhide, which she said her father had used on her mother after a scene when her mother had declined to sign some papers.

"Didn't you telephone your wife no later than last Saturday night," Finch was asked, "that if she would give you a certain piece of property in Newport News, estimated to be worth $25,000, that you would not appear in this case today?"

"I said I would consider the matter," replied Mr. Finch.

"What do you mean by 'consider' when you opened the conversation?" continued the questioner.

"I was merely following my attorneys' instructions," said the witness.

"Didn't your wife ask you if she was to understand that the $25,000 was the additional value you placed on the children?" asked the attorney for the plaintiff.

"I don't remember," was the reply.

Finch had previously received $80,000 from his wife, which appeared by the testimony to have been for a quitclaim on the children.

AUTOISTS AT NIAGARA.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 1—The Boston-St. Louis automobile tourists who arrived here Saturday, yesterday made a trip to Niagara Falls. In the morning they resumed their journey westward. James L. Breeze, a New York lawyer, joined the party here, in a forty horse power machine having been shipped to him here. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richards of Boston, who came on from that city with the tourists are returning home by train. Barney Oldfield was in Buffalo yesterday and expected to accompany the tourists as far as Erie, Pa., this morning.

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SOME FISHERMEN

Sergt. Crowley Leads in Police Department

HONORS EVEN BETWEEN PATTEE AND DELMAGE

Places Where Some of Them Fish

The fishing season is now at its height and although the ponds and rivers roundabout do not abound in trout or salmon, there are other fish that dwell therein, not so gamey as the speckled beauties, but large enough and sufficiently active to give the fishermen an interesting argument.

As the fishing season drew near there was talk of fish all over town and some great stories were told at the police station and at city hall. There are some very enthusiastic fishermen in the employ of the city and every day brings its quota of fish stories. Fishing trips are much resorted to by the police as means of recreation pending the time when they can get away upon their vacations and the same may be said of the attachees at city hall.

The ponds, lakes and rivers where the Lowell fishermen drown their worms are within easy reaching distance of this city. There is more or less fishing at Lakeview and white and yellow perch, bass, pickerel and pout, of goodly dimensions live there. The same fish are found in Mud and Long ponds in Dracut.

Mud and Simms' ponds in Tewksbury, are well supplied with pickerel and pout and these fish are also found in Nabnasset pond, West Chelmsford, Long Sought For pond in Westford, Knobbs' pond in Littleton, Dutton's pond, Billerica, Crystal Lake, North Chelmsford, and at Forge Village. Great pond at Andover offers white perch and bass as an inducement to the fishermen.

In the tributaries of the Shawsheen river the angler looks for trout and some good catches have been made of late. Large pickerel and perch have been taken from the Shawsheen.

Sergt. Jack Crowley is the king fisherman of the police department and at city hall it is a toss up between City Messenger Pattee and Janitor Delmage. Officer Billy McLaughrey doesn't take a back seat for any of them and his brother Tom has an otter that he brought with him from the old country and if the laws and regulations but permitted the use of the otter, Tom could make them all look like wooden money.

Then there's Henry Somers, Billy Burnett, Peter Corcoran and others. The last tussle Peter had was with a tin can at the reservoir. His hook connected with the can and the can was fast in the mud. Peter thought that a little whale had grabbed his hook and he pulled for dear life. Peter, needless to say, was disgusted when he pulled in the can.

Sergt. Crowley is an ardent angler. Let anybody suggest a fishing trip and he will drop his cares as a school boy drops his books to go a-swimming. Landlord Hoban of the Lowell Inn is as skilful as he is earnest and Sergt. Crowley is his choice for a partner. Whether it is the agile trout which rises to a fly or the big pickerel that takes a bait on a troll, Mr. Hoban says you can count on Sergt. Crowley landing his fish. Some of the men who are not especially approachable in their official capacity are very sociable fellows on a fishing trip.

City Messenger Pattee hies him to New Hampshire when he goes a-fishing and Joe generally returns with a large string of fish and a larger string of stories. "Joe" has been fishing in New Hampshire within the last few weeks and he caught several hundred trout that averaged three pounds each. Joe can cast a fly with any of them and he is the soul of dignity. Joe can tell by looking at a pool if the fishing is good and he is considered "bang up" authority in New Hampshire.

Billy Delmage is addicted to deep sea fishing. The habit of angling has grown upon him to such an extent that ordinary sport does not satisfy his cravings any longer.

It is a fearful and wonderful sight to see the little janitor standing braced in the boat, battling with an immense tarpon, and when he has landed his victim he wears the look of a conqueror at the close of a battle. The city has other fishermen whose names will be mentioned later.

HIDING IN SWAMP

Posse of Citizens Have Murderers Surrounded

PORTAGE, Pa., Aug. 1.—Pursued by 500 determined citizens, the three men who murdered Charles Hays, driver, and perhaps fatally wounded Patrick F. Campbell, paymaster for the Puritan Coal company, about a mile south of this place Saturday, are hiding in Cedar swamp, about seven miles from Portage. One of the fugitives is injured, but not enough to affect his flight.

In parties of about 20, the pursuing men are scattered along the entire county boundary of the laurel thicket and swamp, which is 12 miles long and seven wide.

Last night the number of searchers was still increasing. The search was continued all night and pickets are out watching every road leading from the thickets where the three men sought refuge. Hundreds of others are forcing their way through the interior of the dense undergrowth. The gang is now believed to be following one of the numerous paths leading toward Hollidaysburg.

ALTAR ABLAZE

FIRE CAUGHT FROM A SANCTUARY LAMP.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—A lace drapery blowing against a sanctuary lamp caused a fire in the church of St. Rocco on 33rd street, near 3d avenue, South Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon, and had it not been for the timely arrival of the fire engines the edifice would have been destroyed.

The fire was discovered by a member of the congregation. The breeze from an open window had fanned the lace over toward the sanctuary lamp the little wick inside ignited it, and soon the whole altar was ablaze.

The worshipers ran out screaming. A man turned in an alarm, while others tried to extinguish the fire. The blazing lace was torn down and trampled upon, but the woodwork of the altar had caught fire, and the flames were making much headway when the firemen arrived on the scene.

In the meantime many members of the congregation rushed into the burning church and brought out the priest's vestments and the altar articles that were in the vestry and took them to a place of safety. Rev. Fr. John Presada, pastor of the church, directed the moving of the valuables, and going himself into the sacristy carried out the host. The damage is estimated at $1000.

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VON PLEHVE BURIAL

Impressive Services Over Dead Minister's Remains

ST. PETERSBURG, August 1.—M. Von Plieve, the minister of the interior, who was assassinated Thursday morning last, was buried yesterday and in every city and hamlet of this vast empire, church bells were tolled and masses and prayers said for the repose of the soul of the murdered minister. The services here which were according to the rites of the orthodox church, were of an impressive and imposing character. At 11 o'clock in the morning high mass was said in the stately chapel adjoining the ministry of the interior. Emperor Nicholas and the dowager empress stood with the broken-hearted widow and the children of the minister at the foot of the great mound of flowers, on which rested the casket. To the right, on gold-embroidered cushions, before a mass of wreaths banked to the ceiling, were ranged the decorations which had been worn by the statesman during his notable career. To the left were the metropolitan of St. Petersburg and the officiating bishops and priests in their gold-emblazoned vestments. A screen of flowers concealed the famous imperial boys' choir.

Among those present were other members of the imperial family, the foreign representatives, including Spencer Eddy, charge d'affaires of the American embassy, ministers of the empire, generals, admirals, nobles, governors of distant provinces, like those of Astrakhan and Irkutsk—in fact all high officialdom, not even omitting Genghizz Khan, a lineal descendant of the Napoleon of Asia, who is now a major general in the Russian service.

The entire assemblage was in full uniform, and on the arm of each one present was a badge of mourning. All held lighted tapers throughout the service and the air was heavy with the perfume of flowers and incense from the censers.

At the most solemn moment, when all knelt and many were affected by tears, the widow was overcome and fainted. The emperor came to her assistance and she was carried out by gentle hands.

The emperor was visibly moved and upon the conclusion of the mass, he followed the casket which was taken upon the shoulders of the ministers and borne down the broad marble staircase to the street. There the funeral procession was formed and the body was placed in a great white, open hearse, drawn by six coal black horses, which were blanketed from their ears to their tails in sombre trappings of woe. A black-garbed groom stood at each bridle and in advance went 16 similarly clad lantern-bearers. Behind the hearse walked the members of the minister's family, and then came a long and distinguished body of mourners, it being the Russian custom to follow the dead to the grave on foot.

The emperor himself walked a short distance, but as the Novodevichy monastery, where the burial took place, was over five miles and also because of the condition of the empress, his majesty soon entered his carriage and returned to the Peteshof palace.

At the end of the procession came four white chariots, filled with the floral offerings. The cortege proceeded slowly through the avenues and streets preceded by a squadron of mounted police, and passed within sight of the place where the tragedy occurred. The sidewalks along the route were crowded, but the lines of police kept the streets clear near the curbs. As the body passed every head was uncovered and thousands crossed themselves.

The monastery stands on a plain beyond the Narva gates, and at these gates, fully fifty thousand persons were gathered.

After a burial service in the church, the body was interred in the adjoining cemetery, where the remains of many of Russia's greatest men repose, and at a point within a stone's throw of the grave of M. Siplaguine, who was M. Von Plehve's predecessor, and who also fell by the hand of an assassin less than two years ago.

The murderer of M. Von Plehve has been removed from the hospital to the Wyborfsky prison.

The police know the alias under which he traveled, but say they are not yet satisfied regarding his identity, and decline to reveal the alias on the ground that it might defeat the ends of justice.

There is no longer any doubt that the police for some time have had knowledge of the existence of a plot by a band of international anarchists in Paris and Vienna. The leading conspirator, it is said, was a man whom the Russian government tried to extradite from Paris last fall. Some of these conspirators arrived here a week ago and the police thought that all of them had been taken into custody.

The far-reaching character of the machinery of the ministry of the interior and the urgent necessity for dealing with many pending matters render it imperative that the emperor select a successor to M. Von Plehve immediately, and it is considered certain that he will do so this week. Influences hostile to M. Witte, president of the council of ministers, in spite of his acknowledged ability and the general belief that he is the man for the position, seem to render his appointment increasingly improbable. Prince Svintopolk-Mirsky, governor-general of Vilna, Gordno and Kovno, is now prominently mentioned, together with M. Muravieff, minister of justice, Lieutenant General Kleiget, governor-general of Kieff, Podolia and Volhynia, and Prince John Obolensky, governor general of Finland.

SOME SIGHTS WE'D LIKE TO SEE

WITH THORNWAY DOING SOME FAST MILES AND PEACHERINO FULL OF PROMISE, LOWELL MAY YET BOAST OF A WORLD'S CHAMPION ON THE TURF.

BOLD BURGLARY

Yeggman Stole a Safe on Stolen Wagon

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—All over Boston the police are searching for the band of four desperate yeggmen who early yesterday morning carried off a 500-pound safe containing money and jewelry from the house of Julius Snyder, at 263 East Ninth street, South Boston.

The police assert that no such daring and cleverly executed robbery has been known in Boston since the famous safe breaking in East Boston last winter, which was followed by a pitched battle with the police on the East Boston marshes.

The South Boston yeggmen on Sunday morning first stole a wagon, then stole the safe and loaded it on the wagon, hauled the latter to a lonely point on the Strandway, about a third of a mile away, wrecked the safe and secured the contents, after which they abandoned the wagon, and disappeared.

With drawn revolvers and clubs, ready to jump into the expected battle with the yeggmen, should they meet them, the police of four stations started out to scour the Dorchester Bay water front during the early morning hours yesterday, but the cleverness and quickness of the yeggmen, aided by the start they had secured, enabled them to escape.

The police got a general idea of the direction in which the robbers had escaped by following the tracks made by the wagon in which the safe had been carried away.

This trail showed that the yeggmen had made for the Strandway, and the police lost no time in following it up.

Later developments showed that after the robbers had wrecked the safe they could have had only a very short time for getting away before the police appeared on the scene.

The robbers selected that section of the Strandway at the foot of Locust street for their operations on the safe, and people in the vicinity were aroused from their slumbers by the noise of the sledge and crowbar with which it was smashed. In fact, some curious ones were on their way to the place when the police came in sight. These people caught sight of two of the men as they disappeared in the direction of Dorchester.

When the police reached the spot they found the ruins of the safe, and near was the stolen democrat wagon.

Rushing in the direction taken by the yeggmen the police scoured the vacant lots, barns and boat-houses in the vicinity, expecting every second to bring the robbers to bay.

All expected a desperate battle if the robbers were encountered, and the police of station 12, under Sergeant Allison, were prepared for an encounter that might even eclipse the famous yeggmen fight on the East Boston marshes last year.

After six hours of searching Sergeant Allison, Patrolmen Mernin, Clifford, Cronin and Quirk of division 12 who led the man hunt, returned to that station without having found the robbers. Later a general alarm was sent out, and all day yesterday and last night the police all over the city were searching for the desperadoes.

ST. JOHN'S PICNIC

At Nabnasset Was a Grand Success

BIGGEST GATHERING OF MANY YEARS

A Fine Program of Sports Was Presented

The greatest picnic held at Nabnasset pond in many years was that

JOHN E. HARRINGTON.

held on Saturday by St. John's parish of North Chelmsford at which 1000 persons had a jolly time. The picnic had been postponed one week on account of the weather and the postponement did more good than harm for it brought about not only an ideal day but an increased sale of tickets. A special train left Lowell for the West Chelmsford station and on its way the train stopped at Middlesex Village and North Chelmsford. From each place the train stopped at large crowd came to the picnic. When the picnic train arrived at the West Chelmsford station, some of the people rode in barges to the grove, while others walked. After the people from Lowell, Middlesex Village and North Chelmsford had left the train, the train went up to Graniteville and Forge Village and returned shortly afterwards with a good sized delegation from those two places.

It was one of the good old-fashioned picnics that the boys and girls of a generation ago used to look forward to for weeks each year and there was every kind of an attraction there.

The North Chelmsford band, Mr. Herbert Bearce, leader, furnished music throughout the day and the music was much appreciated.

The big event of the afternoon was a baseball game between the Middlesex Village team and the Crescents of Lowell. It was a red-hot game, for each team tried hard to win, and the Crescents carried off the laurels of victory, for the final score stood 5 to 4 in their favor.

There was some kicking on some of Umpire Crawford's decisions, especially in the ninth inning, when he called one of the Crescent players safe at first, while the Middlesex players claimed the man was out. Manager Wood of the Middlesex team intends to protest the game.

The batting order of each team was as follows:

Crescents—Simmons, ss; Phinney 1b; Cowdrey, cf; Russell, lf; Murphy, 3b; Kearns and McCarty, p; O'Brien, 2b; Donovan, c; Mullen, rf.

Middlesex Village—Laporte, lf; Pease, cf; Sheridan, c; Perry, 2b; Twohey, 3b; Hunt, ss; Blanchard, p; Boudreau, rf; Larkin, 1b.

Umpire—George Crawford of Lowell. Score by innings:

Crescents	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	—5
Middlesex	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	—4

After the baseball game the other sports took place, and the winners were as follows:

100-yard dash, J. Gauthier first, Dan Nolan second.

75-yard race for boys, Edward White first, Joseph St. Peter second.

One-half mile race, A. C. Walker first, Charles Connolly second.

100 yd three-legged race, Dan Nolan and Jerry Donovan first, William Pope and Edward White second.

1-mile boat race, Lawrence Kinch and Walter Gaudette first, William Pope and James Riley second.

Money was offered for prizes in all the races except for the first prize in one-half mile race, and the prize for this event was a costly gold medal, which was given by Representative John J. McManmon of the 5th district.

The Eureka orchestra furnished music for dancing and the pavilion was well patronized both afternoon and evening. Dinner and refreshments of all kinds were served in the dining room with Mr. Merritt as the head chef.

Both Rev. Edmund T. Schofield, pastor and Rev. John McNamara of St. John's church were present and were much pleased with the affair.

At 10 o'clock the picnic train blew the whistle for home and the picnickers tired but happy clambered aboard completely satisfied with their day's fun.

The officers of the picnic were as follows: General manager, John E. Harrington; assistant, James P. Quigley; door director, Stephen T. Ward; assistant, John J. Curry; chief aid, James W. Ward; aids, William E. O'Neil, James H. McCoy, James W. O'Connell, Thomas H. Larkin, Michael McGlinchey, Frank E. McCluskey, John T. O'Connell, Edward Doherty, Daniel E. Haley; committee on sports, James B. McQuaid, chairman; William H. Quigley, secretary; Samuel P. Seymour, John P. Garney, Thomas H. Murphy, John H. McEnaney; committee of arrangements, John F. McManomin, chairman; James P. Quigley, secretary; Patrick McMahon, treasurer; restaurant committee, James P. Donnigan, chairman; assistants, Mrs. John McEnaney, Mrs. John Sherlock, Mrs. Nellie Remmes, Mrs. Maggie Quigley, Mrs. Patrick Lowe, Mrs. Sallie O'Neil, Mrs. Maggie Finnegan, Mrs. John Ryan, Mrs. Henry Leake, Mrs. Owen McNally, Mrs. Mary Welch, Mrs. Daniel Doherty, Mrs. Lucy Gaudette, Mrs. John Monahan, Mrs. Frank Mallorey, Misses Ellen Harrington, Josie McCabe, Katie Daley, Josie Hogan, Mary McMahon, Mary Corrigan, Mary McGrath, Sarah Dunn, Bridget McGlinchey, Maggie McManomin, Mary Monahan, Hannah Cummings, Rose Connolly, Alice Riney, Minnie McManomin, Loretta Ward, Rosella Monahan, Rosanna McManomin, Lizzie Donnigan, Ellen Kerins, Mary Ready, Alice McEnaney, Fanny Corrigan.

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McMANUS' PICNIC

FINAL ORDER FOR CHILDREN'S DAY AT MOUNTAIN ROCK.

The third annual picnic for the poor children of Lowell, organized by Constable John McManus, will be held at Mountain Rock, Aug. 3rd. The cars will leave Merrimack square for the grove at 9 o'clock.

There will be 4000 souvenirs given out by the Bon Marche at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning. The souvenir is a picture of the children's friend, John McManus.

There will be sports for the children, for which suitable prizes will be given.

I hope that mothers will instruct their children to keep away from the water, for there is plenty of room for them to play on the grounds, and also tell them, when dinner is served to conduct themselves in an orderly manner and take their places in rotation.

The children do not need to be at the square before 8.30; I noticed last year some of them were up all night. Mothers, do not wake your children before 7.30. They will have plenty of time.

I hope there will be none other than poor children given tickets. If others have tickets, they will please return them to the poor. I noticed at my last two picnics a great many children who could afford to take a picnic, as their parents are able to furnish them money.

It has taken me about seven weeks to get this picnic up, and I thank one and all who have helped me to make it a success.

I would like some young ladies to give their services to waiting on the children. There will be a special car for the band and waiters.

The following contributions have been made:

Special cars—Patrick Gilbride, 2 cars; Derby & Morse, 1 car; Purchasing Agent James E. Donnelly, 1 car; Alderman James J. Gallagher, 1 car; Alderman Wm. H. Wilson, 1 car; Representative John J. Pinder, 1 car; Representative Fred J. Thumons, 1 car; Representative John J. McManmon, 1 car; Peter H. Savage, 1 car; Frank E. McNabb, 1 car; Kelley & Gallagher, 1 car; The Merrimack Clothing Co., 1 car; Standard Supply Co., 1 car; J. F. McCarney, 1 car; Bell Shoe & Clothing Co., 1 car; Talbot Clothing Co., 1 car; James H. McCafferty, 2 cars; James B. Casey, 1 car; Senator James H. McKinley, 1 car; A. Rhodes, hairdresser, 1 car; Patrick F. Welch, 1 car; Harry L. Thumons, 1 car; Peter J. Brady, 1 car; Cook & Taylor, 1 car; Eagle Credit Co., 1 car; Thomas J. McDermott, 1 car; E. D. Shadduck Co., 1 car; J. P. O'Connor & Co., 1 car; Charles H. Joyce, 1 car; A. Rhodes, 1000 bags of candy.

Rev. F. Dorgan, $5; Rev. Fr. Ronan, $5; Rev. Fr. O'Brien, $5; Rev. Fr. Mangin, $3; Rev. C. E. Fisher, $2; Rev. Geo. F. Keangott, $2; Mayor Charles E. Howe, $5; Alderman James J. Hill, $5; Frank E. Putnam, $5; Deputy Sheriff Alvah S. Baker, $5; Robertson & Co., $5; John Lennon, $5; Elias McA. Quade, $5; Lowell Packing & Provision Co., $5; M. A. Gage, $5; Andrew C. Wheelock, $5; P. J. Riley, $5; Albert Pinder, $5; George Dempsey, $5; Edmund Conant, $5; Harvard Brewing Co., $5; Daniel J. Murphy, $5; A. G. Pollard $5; Roy & O'Heir, $2; John J. Saunders, $2; George Walker, $2; American Jewelry Mfg. Co., $2; Representative Wm. E. Westall, $2; Frost & Lyle, $2; Andrew F. Burns, $2; George J. Kearns, $2; Thomas Kelley, $2; M. Daughty, $2; C. M. Dickey, $2; Wm. W. Murphy, $2; Erwin A. Wilson & Co., $2; P. J. Donnelly, $2; Bernard Callahan, $2; Eugene A. Shea, $2; M. W. Holloran, $2; T. E. Lennon, $2; Percy Parker, $2; Napoleon Goyette, $2; Mrs. Plunkett, $2.00; Dr. P. E. Sullivan, $2.00; Chas. F. Carr, $2.00; Peter H. Watson, $2.00; Donovan & Co., $2.00; C. F. McFarland, $2.00; R. H. Casey, $2.00; Conway Transfer Co., $2.00; J. O'Donnell, $2.00; Edward T. Cushing, $2.00; John H. Callahan, $2.00; John H. Donnelly, $2.00; Arthur J. Cumnisky, $2.00; Thomas C. Lawler, $2.00; Orthello C. Davis, $2.00; Charles H. Kimball, $2.00; James McDermott, $2.00; C. E. Guthrie & Son, $2.00; F. J. Davis, $2.00; Maurice O'Donnell, $2.00; Andrew Pendergrass, $2.00; A. F. O'Hely, $2.00; T. Costello & Co., $2.00; C. F. Keyes, $2.00; T. F. Hoban, $2.00; Cary & Brady, $2.00; J. H. Donnelly & Co., $2.00; Cornelius Collins, $2.00; J. F. Murphy & Co., $2.00; Patrick Teague, $2.00; Carle Brothers, $2.00; Charles Marlin, $2.00; John E. Drury, $2.00; Michael J. Garvey & Co., $2.00; Elisee Bibeault, $2.00; William S. Grady, $2.00; Harry Noyes, $2.00; Edward Cawley, $2.00; Wm. Cawley, $2.00; F. M. Hill & Co., $2.00; Daniel Sullivan, $2.00; Fred H. Hourke, $2.00; Anthon Conley, $2.00; Thomas Mahoney, $2.00; James Bartwell, $2.00; Samuel Scott, $2.00; Patrick O'Hearn, $2.00; Thomas Ramsey, $2.00.

Prizes—Noyes & Dewar Co., one boys suit, to be selected from stock, for one hundred yard dash.

James Gray, Manager of Basket Ball Game, one basket ball.

Young lady's gold ring given by John McManus, Jr.

Wm. F. Brazer, boy's mask.

Thomas Kelley, the retired pawn broker, one punching bag and set of gloves.

W. H. Hawes, opera glasses.

Supt. Lees says in case the children's picnic being postponed it cannot be run the following day and must wait till Friday as the "Hip! for the Beach" picnic will be all the company can handle on Thursday.

Get ready for the excursion on August 11th to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

PERSONALS

Mr. Charles H. Snowman of Lincoln square, has just returned from making an enjoyable tour of the Maine beaches.

Mr. John R. Corson of North Billerica, has gone to New Brunswick, for two weeks with friends and relatives.

Mr. Ralph Corson has gone to New Sharon, Me., for two weeks, visiting Mr. Edgar Corson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntoon of Lowell, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Burke at their summer home at Barton, Vt.

Mrs. Winifred Fallon and daughter, Marie, of Meadowcroft street, leave for Pittsburg, Pa., today to spend a month with relatives.

Mr. Harry A. Hopkins has gone for a two weeks' trip to the world's fair at St. Louis, and will stop over at Niagara Falls and Chicago.

Miss Amelia Howard is spending a part of her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Woodard, in Hudson, Mass.

Miss Elizabeth Sullivan and Miss Mary E. Crowley of Lincoln street, and Miss Josephine Coff of Moore street, and Miss Mary E. Wood of Meadowcroft street, leave today for a two weeks' vacation at Revere and other beaches along the northern shore.

The families of Mr. James McElhoim and Mr. Patrick Bresnahan are to spend the month of August at Cape Cod, where they have a cottage.

The Sisters of St. Mary, of the Sacred Heart convent on Moore street, leave Thursday for their annual retreat at Lockport, N. Y.

F. W. Stanley has returned from a three weeks' trip to Westminster, Vt.

Mrs. Sponey of Third street has gone to visit friends and relatives in New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Katherine McKeon, cashier at Gilbride's department store, will spend her vacation as the guest of her uncle in Lewiston, Me. Before returning she will pay a visit to Old Orchard.

Miss Mary A. Murphy and Mrs. William Bruce are visiting at Winter Harbor, Me. They are stopping at Grind Stone Inn.

Mrs. Laura P. Jordan, Frederic W. Jordan and the Misses Marguerite and Dorothy Jordan have gone to South Wellfleet, as the guests of Mrs. Jennie Rannels, for the summer.

Mrs. Emma Radcliffe, Miss Daisy and Charles Radcliffe and Miss Lida Hurd are at the Central house, Juniper Point, for two weeks.

Miss Mary D. Mason is at Juniper Point for two weeks.

Miss Harriet A. Nichols of Appleton street has returned from Newport, Vt.

R. S. Chase has gone on a two weeks' trip through the hills of New Hampshire.

Rev. Robert F. True, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, started today for Northfield to attend the annual conference of the Christian Workers. He will be absent about two weeks. Mrs. True has been at Northfield for the last four weeks.

Mrs. Osmond Long and Mrs. Joseph Fielding, Jr., with their children will spend the next three weeks at Salisbury beach.

Miss Nellie Rawnsley is at Salisbury beach for three weeks.

Miss Queenie Brimigion of Bleachery street will spend the next two months in Maine.

A letter from Rev. Fr. Dorgan in Ireland states that he visited the home of the late lamented Fr. Joyce and later visited the home of his own parents in the county Kerry.

Miss Minnie Blanchard of Moore street is visiting with relatives in Newfoundland until November.

Miss Alice Welch is spending her vacation at her former home in St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Smith will spend August in the White mountains.

Arthur Fernald, who was struck by a shifting engine and seriously injured in the Salem freight yards, Thursday morning, is reported so much improved at the Salem hospital that his physicians believe now he has a good chance for recovery.

Miss Gertrude Harris has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Frank S. Lovitt of No. 10 Coral street will spend the next two weeks at The Weirs.

Mr. Asa C. Russell and family have returned from their trip to the Yellowstone park and report the weather in the park very cold.

Miss Ida M. Poor, accompanied by her nieces, Misses Alice and Mary, are at The Mitchell, Long Beach, York, Me.

Mrs. Robinson and Miss Lena Robinson will occupy their cottage at Juniper Point through the month of August.

Miss Kittie Brennan and Miss Anna Mahoney, of 45 Salem street, have gone to Revere beach to spend a few weeks.

Miss F. H. Meyers and Miss A. C. Ekengren of W. P. Bruzer & Co.'s have gone to Cottage City, where they will spend a few weeks at the Pawnee house.

Mrs. E. Borden and Miss Eva B. Lairdleson will spend next week at Salem Willows.

Keeper Alfred Helman of the police force, has returned from a trip to England.

Police Sergeant Martin Connors is on his vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris and Miss Dorothy Harris have gone to Randolph, N. H., for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callahan and Miss Callahan are at Revere for a couple of weeks.

Miss Katie Dolan and Maggie Dolan and Kittie McAleer are at Revere beach for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. George Ensley and Misses Mabel, Minnie and Anna Ensley are enjoying their summer vacation with Mrs J. W. Gregg at her cottage at Hough's Neck.

Miss Hazel V. Chamberlain is wearing a beautiful ring awarded her grace and skill in dancing at Canobie Lake.

Mrs. Daniel Lawlor of Centralville starts today to spend the next two weeks with friends at Salisbury and Hampton beaches.

Mr. Randal Stewart of Cambridge and Mrs. May Teague and daughter of Charlestown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Maguire of Varney street, yesterday.

Misses Minnie Hill, Kittie Rafferty, Margaret Fox, Bessie Fox, Mamie Hughes and Margaret Hughes are on the rocks at Bass Point, enjoying the refreshing sea breezes.

Miss Josephine Cuff of Moore street is at Crescent beach.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.30	7.30	7.54	8.52
a6.45	7.53	8.25	9.01
e7.01	8.02	c9.00	9.37
e8.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
a7.31	8.50	c10.00	10.37
7.48	8.35	a10.17	11.34
a7.52	10.05	c11.30	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.22	10.20	c1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	1.15	1.52
a11.45	12.25	2.00	3.01
a12.14	1.00	e3.00	3.27
1.40	2.50	3.30	4.05
e1.50	2.30	a3.47	5.01
e5.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
e4.02	4.45	c5.00	5.37
4.25	5.30	5.38	6.24
e5.22	6.15	a5.47	6.54
a5.44	7.00	6.14	7.30
e6.12	6.55	c7.30	8.08
e7.29	8.10	e8.30	9.08
8.42	9.50	10.30	11.34
		11.30	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
e6.30	7.30	9.00	10.00
e7.24	8.10	e10.30	10.37
8.45	9.40	e11.30	12.07
e9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
e3.25	4.50	5.00	5.59
e5.29	6.30	e7.30	8.08
e6.12	8.50	e8.30	9.08
e7.29	8.10	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.50	7.58	7.30	8.31
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.37	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.27	2.15	3.20
12.45	1.55	3.30	4.50
2.50	3.34	4.50	5.49
3.10	4.03	6.04	7.05
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.47
5.06	6.40	9.30	10.35
6.15	7.10	B11.15	12.13
7.00	8.05		
9.15	10.20		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.26	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.24	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.52	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.54	8.40	9.40
8.45	9.44		

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Merrimack River Savings bank, 417 Middlesex St. The next quarter begins Saturday, August 6th.

Miss Nora Cusack of Crowley street will spend the month of August with relatives in Keene, N. H.

REMOVAL

The New York and Boston Despatch Express Co.'s branch office is now located at 5 Bridge street with F. B. Leeds.

IN WIGGINVILLE.

Free tickets were given to members of the Mission Sunday school under 14 years of age, for the picnic which occurs next Saturday at Milligan's grove, Wilmington.

Mr. Henry Pearson of Roper street is making an addition to his dwelling.

George, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colby of Mission place, died at his parents' home early Saturday morning.

Mrs. Malloy and Miss Lena Malloy are spending a few days in Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Milne and family spent Sunday at the beach.

Mr. Thomas E. Wilde, who has been on a visit to friends in Lynchburg, Va., is expected to arrive home next Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Wilde and sons, Harold and Linwood, have gone to Maine on a visit to Mrs. Wilde's mother.

Mrs. McGurn of Hampstead street, who was prostrated by the heat some two weeks ago, is much improved and is able to be about.

Major Dana Saunders continues to improve in health.

Mr. George Dickson of Providence, R. I., was the guest of his brother, Mr. William Dickson, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Wright is enjoying a vacation at Crompton, R. I.

Mr. William Littlehale of Dayton street is erecting a dwelling in Pawtucketville.

POLICE SERGEANT

WAS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT IN THE LEG.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Sergt. Herbert Gordon of the Cambridge police force was accidentally shot in the leg at roll call at station 2 yesterday. The 12 members of the relief who were standing in line had a narrow escape from injury.

The men were standing at attention for inspection. Capt. James E. Murray passed along the line and looked at the back, keys, billy and revolver of each man. Sergt. Gordon was at the head of the line, and, as he started to place his revolver back in his pocket, the weapon slipped from the holster and fell to the floor.

There was an explosion and Sergt. Gordon fell.

Several of the men jumped to his assistance and lifted him, placing him on the table in the guard room. Capt. Murray telephoned for Dr. Brousseau and for Dr. Albert E. Norris.

In the meantime, Lieut. Coury and several of the men were removing Gordon's clothing in an effort to find the wound and stop the flow of blood.

When the physicians arrived they probed for the bullet, but could not locate it. The point of entrance was near the knee-cap on the inner side of the left leg. The sergeant was taken to the Cambridge hospital and during the evening the ball was located by means of the X-ray. Evidently it had struck the bone of knee, and glanced upward, stopping several inches above, in the fleshy part of the leg.

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DANIEL MONAHAN, CHOSEN CHIEF MARSHAL

Trades and Labor Council Elected Officers

At a meeting of the Trades and Labor council yesterday afternoon Daniel Moynihan of the Building Laborers was unanimously chosen chief marshal of the Labor Day parade and Frank Simonds of the Typographical union was elected general manager of the day's observances. James F. Gilhean of the Leather Workers was elected chief of staff and Michael Duggan of the Spinners marshal of the Trades and Labor division.

It was decided to have sports on the Fair Grounds during the afternoon of Labor day and there will be an entertainment at the Fair Grounds in the evening. There will be speech making by prominent local and out-of-town speakers.

The meeting yesterday was largely attended and the delegates seemed very enthusiastic relative to arrangements for the observance of Labor Day. Booths will be erected at the Fair Grounds and the committee promises a varied assortment of attractions including a bicycle race by electric light. There will be no admission charge to the grounds. Miss Annie McMullin will have charge of the space to be bought at the grounds.

TRAIN HELD UP

Passengers Lined Up and Robbed

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 1—A train crew which has just arrived with a light engine from Santa Rosa reports that Rock Island passenger train No. 4, which left El Paso Saturday morning at 7 o'clock, was held up near Tucumcari, N. M., and robbed. The passengers were lined up and their valuables were taken from them. Then the express and mail cars were uncoupled from the train and run about two miles up the track, and thtre dynamited and robbed.

The robbery was reported at Logan, a small station some distance from Tucumcari, by one of the passengers who escaped the robbers. At the headquarters of the El Paso & Northeastern railroad the news of the train robbery has received partial confirmation, but the officials say they can learn nothing definite, as the holdup occurred off their division.

The dispatchers in this city, while admitting a knowledge of the reported robbery, profess to know no particulars.

You can visit Old Orchard and enjoy a day at the beach via the Boston & Maine railroad at a round trip rate of $1.50 on August 11th.

ZION CRICKET TEAM

HELD LAWN PARTY IN WIGGINVILLE.

The annual lawn party of the Zion Cricket club was held Saturday afternoon and evening on the club grounds in Wigginville and there was a large representation of the club together with hundreds of friends of the members.

The feature of the afternoon's entertainment was a cricket match between the Zions and the Lawrence club, the visiting team winning by a score of 37 to 34.

In the evening the entertainment consisted of instrumental music and singing by the Apollo quartet, while McElroy's orchestra furnished music for dancing.

The committees in charge were made up as follows:

General committee—A. J. Wilmot, A. Hindle, Jr., T. Hoyle, R. Barlow and H. Maden.

Music—W. Thetcher, J. Wilmot.

Lighting—Hoyle, Maden, Barlow, Anderton, Bury, Matthews, Woodcock, Fielding, Walton, Logan, Bailey and Nelson.

Refreshments—Whitworth, Croft, Jr., Chapman, Grimrod, Nelson, Woodcock, Matthews, Fielding, Beaumont and Whitworth.

Grounds—Clegg, Pickles, Carbutters, Ingham, Hindle, Entwistle, Crosby and Nelson.

FIRE ALARM

BLAZE IN A HOUSE ON AGAWAM STREET.

An alarm from box 151 at 8.45 o'clock last evening summoned a portion of the department to a blaze in the kitchen and sink room of the house occupied by John Maier at 170 Agawam street. During the absence of the occupants of the house the blaze got started in some unaccountable manner in the sink room and spread to the kitchen and both rooms were badly burned before the alarm was rung in.

Saturday evening one of the companies responded to a telephone alarm for a fire on the Aiken street dump.

A good time! August 11th excursion to Old Orchard beach via the Boston & Maine railroad. $1.50 round trip.

FIFTY INJURED

Trolley Cars Collided in New York

THE BRAKES FAILED TO WORK PROPERLY

Motorman Buried Under the Wreck

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—Fifty passengers were injured, 11 of them seriously and one possibly fatally, in a collision between a runaway Mt. Vernon trolley car and a Yonkers trolley car at Woodlawn, near 234th street, at 11 o'clock last night.

Matthew Crawfield, motorman of the Mt. Vernon car, is the most seriously injured. He was buried under the wreckage of the two cars and crushed.

Both were open cars filled with holiday crowds. Motorman Crawfield of the Mt. Vernon car was bringing his car into the city from the Yonkers line, when he started down the hill in St. Lean avenue toward 234th street.

The hill is half a mile long and very steep, and at the bottom the northbound track had been removed to make place for sewer construction and the cars are run on a switch to permit them to pass each other at the crossing. It is understood among the car crews that the south-bound car is to rest on the switch until the north-bound car has passed.

Crawfield's car was tearing down the hill, when at 235th street, he threw on the brakes to slow down. To his consternation he discovered that the brakes did not work.

Motorman De Frank of the Yonkers car threw on his reversing lever, but before the forward motion of his car had stopped the Mt. Vernon car had crossed the switch and crashed full speed into his car.

De Frank had time to jump. Crawfield stuck to his post and as his car telescoped through the other, he went down and out of sight under the wreckage.

All the passengers aboard the two cars were thrown from their seats. Many of them were caught under the falling roofs and the splinters and were unable to move. Others were sent spinning to the floor of the road. Those unhurt sprang to their feet and rushed to the aid of the imprisoned ones.

STILL UNIDENTIFIED

NOBODY KNOWS THE MAN TAKEN FROM THE RIVER.

The body of the man found in the Merrimack river near the Dracut and Methuen line Friday morning still lies at the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons in Market street awaiting identification. A number of people have called to view the remains, but as yet no one has identified the man. A number of people who called thought that the face was familiar and that they had met the man in their travels some place, but no further clue has been furnished.

Mr. Peter Maguire of the Trolley Rip company which plays at Lakeview theatre the week after next was a visitor in this city yesterday. "Pete" is well known in Lowell as he played opera at the Lakeview theatre last season and the season before.

RIOT IN CHICAGO

Non-Union Man Was Stabbed and Killed

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Both the packers and the strikers spent Sunday in strengthening any weak spots that could be found in their defences preparatory to their week of effort to bring their opponents to terms. Notwithstanding that it was Sunday, all the plants were operated during the forenoon in order to get rid of the live stock that had been left over from last week. The remainder of the day was spent by the employers in installing new men in the strikers' places and arranging many of the small details which had been overlooked last week during the heat of the conflict. Over 1000 new men were added today to the number already at work in the different plants.

Among yesterday's arrivals were many skilled laborers, something the packers have been sadly in need of ever since the strike started. The employers have experienced little difficulty in procuring all the unskilled men necessary to operate the plants to their full capacity, but there has been a decided scarcity of skilled workmen, and for this reason the by-products of all animals killed have been let go to waste.

Commencing today three of the firms announced last night that they would be able to operate these divisions, enough skilled men having been procured in the past 48 hours to justify the belief that all the by-product plants will be in full operation by the end of the week.

The strike leaders spent the greater part of yesterday in preparing a statement to the public. In this statement the unionists explain their side of the controversy, declaring that it is the packers and not the men who are responsible for the present state of affairs in the packing industry. The public is asked to be patient with the men during the struggle for supremacy, it being declared by the union leaders that it would be impossible for the men to return to work under the conditions which existed before the strike was called, and that up to the present, the packers have shown no disposition to treat the strikers in a fair manner. According to this statement the men will stay on strike until their unions are disrupted or until the packers surrender.

The allied trades council met yesterday and considered arrangements for further supplying the families of the strikers with food. As a result of the meeting several more of these commissary stores will be opened this week in order to take care of all who are out of work and in need.

In a fight at the Nelson Morris plant yesterday afternoon between Andrew Simms and John Davis, both non-union workers from New Albany, Ind., the former was stabbed and killed.

The police and a mob of strike sympathizers clashed last night in the vicinity of the stock yards. The disturbance was caused by two non-union men who entered a saloon and asked for a drink where a crowd of the strikers' friends had congregated. When the bartender went to serve the strike breakers, the other men in the place protested and a fight followed. Several policemen ran to the saloon and succeeded in ejecting the attacking party. The doors of the place were barricaded, but the rioters being reinforced by several hundred of their friends, returned to renew the attack. A riot call was sent in, but before the patrol wagon with a squad of policemen arrived, the saloon had been partly wrecked. It was necessary by the police to fire a volley from their revolvers over the heads of the rioters before they desisted in their attack on the place. With exception of bruises and scratches received during the disturbance, no one was seriously injured.

HER OLD TRICKS

Nora Burke Arrested For Shoplifting

SHE HAS POLICE RECORD IN THIS CITY

Her Picture is in the Rogues Gallery

Nora Burke was arrested in Fitchburg last week on a charge of shoplifting. Nora is well known to the Lowell police and in reply to a circular letter which Supt. Moffatt received from the chief of police of Fitchburg, Mr. Moffatt gave the Fitchburg official a little insight into Nora's character. Nora's picture does its part in adorning the rogues' gallery at the police station and her record shows that on May 12, 1898, she was arrested in company with a man who said that his name was John Ware of Boston. Both had five counts of larceny against them and were found guilty on all. An appeal was made and Nora was held under $250 bonds for the June session of the grand jury, where she was found guilty on all counts and sentenced to 2 years and 8 months in the house of correction. Ware was also found guilty and was given a 2 years and 10 months' sentence at the same institution.

The two worked together and employed methods which were out of the ordinary. It appears that they were in the habit of going about as man and wife and visiting various boarding houses, where they would hire rooms and while living in the house would ransack the rooms of other lodgers. Five counts of this kind were used as evidence against the two by the police at the time of the trial.

The Fitchburg Sentinel of Saturday has the following account of her operations in that vicinity:

Mrs. Nora Burke was hardly truthful when she told the police that the stolen goods caught on her at the time of her arrest in the Chamberlain, Huntress Co. store Friday morning, represented her first fall from grace, for further investigations are bringing to light other facts of the same nature.

Officer Whiting followed up a little clue this morning and located in Antono Carbonl's fruit stand at the corner of Main and Blossom streets, a bundle of dry goods stolen Friday morning, from the Nichols & Frost and the Fitchburg Dry Goods store. On his first trip up from the depot, Friday morning, Officer Whiting observed in a casual glance a woman enter the fruit stand and ask if she might leave a bundle there. He thought nothing of it until this morning as he went by the place again and then it flashed over him that the woman looked something like Mrs. Burke.

Going into the stand he asked Tony's helper, Mike, if a woman had left a bundle there Friday morning, and received an affirmative reply. When asked who the woman was Mike declared it to be the woman who went down to the depot Friday afternoon in tow of the officer "who wears no clothes". To Officer Whiting that proved Inspector Damon in plain clothes taking Mrs. Burke to Worcester, and he took care of the bundle.

At the station it was found to contain an undervest, two pairs of black stockings, three long white skirts, all from the Fitchburg Dry Goods store, and 3½ yards of mohair, 2½ yards of grey serge and 6¾ yards of muslin, all from the Nichols & Frost store, and a pair of armlets. The goods were all identified with the exception of the armlets, Mrs. Keefe of the Fitchburg Dry Goods store being unable to claim them. The value of the goods from the Fitchburg store was about $2.75 and from the Nichols & Frost store $3.18.

When the news of Mrs. Burke's arrest and her previous connection with the Whalom Inn reached Deputy Sheriff Snow, Friday night, he began a hunt too, and in a few minutes had unearthed more trouble. Manager Livingstone of the inn said that Mrs. Burke had worked for him until three weeks ago. She was discharged at that time because Mr. Livingstone had good reason to think she was responsible for the loss of a $5 bill from his room in the hotel and also for a brush and comb and several other articles around the place.

Mr. Livingstone told Officer Snow that his first idea of anything wrong came when he saw from his room, one day, Mrs. Burke rumaging through the room of another woman in the hotel. From that room something was subsequently missed.

A piece of veiling which Mrs. Burke took from Nichols & Frost's store was found behind the counter at the Chamberlain, Huntress Co. store after her arrest Friday, she evidently having tried to get rid of some of her goods when she saw she was caught.

PRISONERS OF WAR

WHO SUFFERED IN REBEL PRISONS WILL PARADE.

A circular has been issued by the Union ex-Prisoners of War, Massachusetts association, announcing the fact that all of those who served in rebel prisons during the Civil war will parade in Bostod on the day previous to the big Grand Army parade, Aug. 15. Lowell has but one member of this association, although there is another veteran in this city who served a term in the Salesbury, N. C., prison. The member of the association in this city is Mr. George M. Searle of 155 Westford street, who was a member of the 27th Massachusetts infantry and served in Andersonville prison from June 12, 1864 to March 26, 1865. He will be present in Boston and participate in the parade.

The other ex-prisoner is John Garvey, a resident of this city. He is unaffiliated with the association. He served in the confederate prison at Salsbury, N. C.

The parade of ex-prisoners will start at 10 o'clock Monday morning, Aug 15. It will move over the same route laid out for the Grand Army on the following day. In the afternoon of that same day a camp fire will be held in Tremont temple. The president of the Massachusetts association is John L. Parker and the secretary is Charles H. Colgate.

Mrs. Rose McAleer and son of Chambers street have returned home after a pleasant trip to New York and the various watering places in that vicinity.

C. F. KEYES Auctioneer

OFFICE, OLD BOSTON & MAINE STATION, GREEN STREET, LOWELL, MASS.

Office Open Evenings From 7 to 9. Tel.—Office, 465-2; Residence, 692-1x.

Saturday, August 6, at 2.30 o'clock

Administratrix' sale of the John O'Neil estate, cottage house and about 1400 square feet of land at the corner of Coburn and L streets, Centralville. By virtue of a license granted to me by the probate court, I will sell at the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, this cottage house and about 1400 square feet of land. The cottage is a neat little house of six rooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen and three chambers. It has good sewerage, water service and water closet in cellar. It is a place worthy of being a neat and comfortable little home, and to its purchaser it will certainly be so.

The lot contains about 1400 square feet, and being on the corner has frontages on both streets, about 35 feet on L street and about 40 feet on Coburn street; there is good yard room, and it is all fenced in. It is finely situated in a neighborhood of such small homes. And I will make absolute sale of it to the highest bidder on that day.

Terms: $150 to be paid or secured with the auctioneer at time and place of sale.

BRIDGET O'NEIL,
Administratrix of Estate of John O'Neil.

JOHN J. and WM. A. HOGAN, Attys.

Saturday, August 6, at 3.30 o'clock

Absolute sale by public auction, two tenement house and about 2650 square feet of land at Nos. 979 and 981 Central street. Promptly at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of August 6th, I will offer to the public by auction sale, this neat two tenement house of eleven rooms, six upstairs and five downstairs. It is in first-class repair, has been recently painted, and is at present occupied by two very fine tenants, one of whom has been an occupant for about 11 years. The present rental received is about $240 a year, and it is always rented. It has separate front and rear entrances and is a good, substantial piece of realty. The lot has a frontage on Central street of about 35 feet and runs in depth about 83 feet. It is all fenced in, is concreted around house and there is plenty of good yard room in rear. The location is a very good one, it being set between Cedar and Gorham streets on Central street, which is a road of the best smooth paving. It is quite handy to the city proper, and in a very respectable neighborhood.

Now the best kind of property to invest in is of the two-tenement type, and here is your chance to make such an investment, for it is up for sale to the highest bidder.

Terms: $300 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; two-thirds of the selling price can remain on mortgage.

C. F. KEYES in Charge.

"The Busy Corner" "The Daylight Store"

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MERRIMACK & PALMER STREETS

We Give Discount Stamps With Reliable Merchandise

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DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT

Heavy on Some Lines

MONDAY MORNING

Will see the beginning of what we believe will be the most Remarkable Sale of

Dress Goods

WE'VE EVER HELD

Remarkable in extent. Remarkable in variety. Remarkable in values.

At 29c

ALL WOOL VOILE in colors of Royal, Navy, Brown, Champagne, Red, Castor, Green, and Cream. Regular price 50c per yard.

At 39c

GRANITE AND COVERT CLOTHS, 44 inches wide, in a great variety of colors, including Brown, Blues, Castor, Gray, Cardinal and Garnet, sold everywhere at 59c per yard.

At 49c

PLAIN AND FANCY MOHAIRS. These goods are pure English Mohairs and should not be confounded with the domestic kind. They are 37 to 50 inches wide.

REMNANTS

Of Black and Colored Dress Goods, in lengths from 2 to 6 yards each. These fabrics are suitable for waists, skirts and dresses, and are marked way below cost.

LININGS

Moreen Skirtings, all colors, sold for 15c per yard.

Monday's Price 10c Yard

Remnants of Mercerized Linings, 36 inches wide, in all colors, sold for 25c to 35c per yard.

Monday's Price 8c Yard

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Cures all Kidney and Bladder Diseases—*Guaranteed*

ELLINGWOOD & CO., Cor. Central and Merrimack Streets. FALLS & BURKINSHAW, 418 Middlesex Street. A. F. STORY & CO., 624 Gorham Street.

YOU KNOW we have just finished taking stock because we told you about it last Friday.

Undoubtedly you appreciated the great bargain opportunity for the store was uncomfortably filled Saturday afternoon and evening—a sure sign, in this usually quiet season, that good things abound.

Some of the good things are gone, but other good things have taken their places. If you shop here today you can make your dollar do double duty.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS COMPANY

THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and Tuesday. It probably will be somewhat cooler; fresh westerly winds.

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FIERCE FIGHTING

NIGHT EDITION

BOTH MAY DIE

Providence Man Shot His Wife and Himself

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 1—Inflamed by groundless jealousy, John V. Duarte, a Cape De Verde islander, aged 27, shot his wife Louisa, aged 20 and then fired two more bullets into his own body inflicting a probably mortal wound at their home on Brook street today. At the Rhode Island hospital whither they were taken after the shooting, it was said that Duarte was at death's door and that his wife's condition afforded but little encouragement.

The bullet in the woman's body lodged in the vicinity of the spine, passing downwards from the left breast. Durate shot himself through the stomach. The couple have but one child, a girl of ten months. They have been married about four years and bore a good reputation.

HEAD-ON COLLISION

Twenty Injured on Boston & Worcester Road

SOUTHBORO, Mass., Aug. 1.—Twenty persons were injured by a collision of two heavy trolley cars on the Boston & Worcester street railroad at a point one and a half miles west of Whites corner today. Physicians were immediately summoned from Framingham, Hudson and Marlboro. The cars of the road run over a single track in the Whites corner section. The company, however, recently constructed a second track and the new line is to be used about the latter part of the week.

The injured included adults of both sexes and a number of children. The uninjured passengers bound west were taken to Worcester by the Marlboro divisions of the Worcester consolidated road and eastbound passengers who were not seriously hurt were transferred to another car.

The cars met head on about 300 yards east of a turnout on Washington street just over the Westboro town line. The officials of the company claim that Conductor Balcom who was in charge of a car bound for Boston had orders to wait at the turnout until a Worcester bound car passed him. It is claimed that the orders were not carried out and that Balcom's car continued on a high rate of speed until suddenly it collided with the Worcester car in charge of Conductor Metcalf. Although the impact was terrific the cars did not leave the rails but the passengers were hurled violently forward and those in the front seats were somewhat cut by glass. One of the motormen was the most seriously injured of any of those on both cars and he was taken to the hospital at South Framingham in a critical state.

A score of persons in all were hurt, 17 of whom were hastily transferred to ambulances and trolley cars which conveyed them to a hospital at South Framingham. The accident occurred in a remote section about noon and it was some time before the physicians in the nearby towns and cities were notified. The officials of the company have been making a rigid investigation into the collision.

CITY COAL SUPPLY

Is About all in Municipal Bins

PAUPER DEPT. COAL AT AMBULAACE STATION

Mr. Murphy an Expect on Weight of Coal

On July 11, the city started to get in its annual coal supply under the direction of Mr. Murphy, Purchasing Agent Donnelly's assistant. Mr. Murphy personally supervised the weighing of thousands of tons of coal from that date to the present and the only bins yet remaining to be filled are those at the police station and ambulance station, which are being filled today. The coal delivered by the pauper department to poor families which last year was delivered from the city farm, will be delivered from the ambulance station this winter as in former years and thus save the long trip from the Chelmsford street institution. Mr. Murphy has had so much experience at weighing loads of coal that he can now tell the weight of a load within a few pounds at a glance and it is impossible to pass off a short load on him.

LADDER BROKE

One Man Killed and Another Fatally Injured

WORCESTER, Aug. 1—By the breaking of a ladder running at the end of a staging on which they were working, Wm. R. Verge was killed, Arthur Dericau, was fatally injured and Albert E. Stunstall was seriously hurt today while repairing the roof of the J. R. Garland and Son grain elevator here. They were at work close to the roof when the ladder broke, allowing them to fall to the ground, 50 feet, where they landed on the Boston and Albany railroad tracks.

TO LET—Camp 2 miles out on line of Lawrence electrics. Inquire at 19 Dutton st., one week only.

LOST—A long, black lace scarf. Suitable reward. Address S. B. E., 98 Main st., Andover.

JAPANESE ARMIES

Have Surrounded Kuropatkin's Army at Simoucheng

Rnssians Dumbfounded at the Large Armies Sent Against Them in all Directions—Intense Anxiety in St. Petersburg

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—3.50 p. m.—At last the decisive battle of the campaign seems to be in progress. Having completed his enveloping movement of the Russian position, General Kuroki had ordered simultaneously an advance from all points against Haicheng and Liao Yang.

Fighting is raging on both fronts and still continues. The latest reports contain nothing yet confirmatory of rumors that General Kuropatkin has been defeated.

According to Kuropatkin's official despatch to the emperor the battle began for the possession of the important position at Simouching, which is located at the juncture of the Fengwangcheng and Siuyen roads.

Two separate armies were launched from the east above the two roads while a third under General Oku, moved up east of the railroad from Taitchelao, to try to cut off the Russian force there from Haicheng. If the latter move is successful, this force will be crushed.

A portion of General Kuroki's army at the same time advanced against General Count Keller's position at Ikhavuen, east of Liao Yang, trying the favorite Japanese plan of outflanking him on the right. Still further north on the Saimaisza-Liao Yang road, the Japanese moved forward against Houlsiatze (25 miles from Liao Yang). At all points the Japanese employed artillery to the best advantage.

General Kuropatkin's situation will be desperate in the event of his defeat. The keenest anxiety is felt at the war office for news of the progress of the battle.

The general staff seems utterly dumfounded at the number of men the Japanese possess and consequently Kuropatkin's statement that they are landing another heavy force at the port of New Chwang adds to the solicitude.

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IN POLICE COURT

Bell Clothing Company Had Two Cases

JUDGE HADLEY HANDED OUT DIRECT SENTENCES

To Young Men Who Committed Larceny

Samuel W. Levy of the Bell Clothing company was the complainant in two cases of larceny in police court today. Harry W. Freed was the defendant in one case and W. A. Foss in the other. The story of Freed's case appears in another column. Foss' case was settled, it being represented to the court that it was all due to a misunderstanding. The defendant gave Mr. Levy checks on a bank and later found that his deposit was exhausted. Lawyer C. A. McLellan of Brockton appeared for the defendant and the case was placed on file upon payment of costs.

PAWNED SISTER'S CLOAK.

Joseph F. Fontaine was charged with the larceny of a cloak, the property of his sister. He was found guilty and was sentenced to the house of correction for a term of five months. Fontaine wanted liquor and pawned the coat in order to get it.

THE COMMON JAIL.

J. Hugh Gallagher was walking along Lawrence street Saturday evening and William J. Hodigan accosted him and asked him for a match. Mr. Gallagher told him he didn't have any matches, but Hodigan refused to believe him and threatened to strike him. He made good his threat and struck Mr. Gallagher in the face. In police court today he pleaded guilty to assault and battery and drunkenness and was sentenced to three months in jail. Judge Hadley said he would teach drunken rowdies that they will not be allowed to assault persons in the street who have not, in any way, interfered with them.

HE PLEADED GUILTY.

Clinton M. Downs pleaded guilty to the larceny of carpenters' tools. It was his second time in court for larceny within a year. Judge Hadley sentenced him to the house of correction for a term of six months.

HE HAD AN AXE.

John Foula raised ructions in William street Sunday afternoon. He appeared in the street carrying an axe and he threatened to exterminate everything and everybody that crossed his path. He committed two or three trivial assaults and was finally arrested by Patrolman Crowley. In police court today he was fined $15.

MAN NOT ALL THERE.

Napoleon Ball, an old man with a scarred nose and weak mind, was charged with drunkenness. He denied the allegation and told rambling stories. The officers finally succeeded in learning that the old man came to Lowell from Lawrence. He said his home is in Lawrence but he had forgotten the name of the street. Judge Hadley instructed the probation officer to have the old man sent to Lawrence in the care of some responsible person.

OTHER DRUNKEN OFFENDERS.

John Buckley, workhouse, three months; James Meade, state farm; Patrick J. Smith whom Deputy Welch said was a deserter from the navy was ordered in $200 for his appearance before the court tomorrow morning.

Frank Desjaden and John J. Melvin were fined $6 each; Sylvester Carroll, James Lachance, Edward Boisvert and John F. Kelly were fined $5 each. Nine first offenders were fined $2 each and two were released.

"Hand Made."

POET 10¢ CIGAR NOTHING BETTER

"Union Made."

JIMMY GARDNER

ASKED TO MEET SAM LANGFORD.

Owen Kenny, the Italian promoter of Manchester, N. H., has a great treat in store for the fight fans up in the Granite State if he can bring together Jimmy Gardner and Sam Langford.

Kenny has been working the wires for the past week, and all that remains now to clinch the match is for Gardner to say the word. Langford's quick work in disposing of George McFadden in two rounds has made a strong impression up there.

MASON SUCCEEDS CONVERSE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1—Commander Mason has been appointed chief of the bureau of Ordnance navy department to succeed Rear Admiral Converse who today assumed the duties of chief of the bureau of navigation.

THAT INJUNCTION

City Treasurer Has Not Heard From It

AND LAWYER FAY IS AT THE BEACH

Many Believe It Will Not be Brought

Up to the time of going to press today City Treasurer Stiles had heard nothing officially or otherwise of Lawyer Fay's injunction proceeding.

Inquiry at the office of Mr. Fay revealed the information that Lawyer Fay had gone to his cottage at Salem Willows on Saturday and has not returned as yet. The clerk did not know whether or not he intended to go to court before returning to Lowell.

There are many who believe that the injunction proceedings will not be brought.

Meanwhile in the absence of Mayor Howe, Acting Mayor Miskella is at the helm and signed numerous state aid vouchers this morning which were honored by the city treasurer.

TEAMSTERS QUIT

10,000 of Them Out on Strike

VIENNA, Aug. 1.—10,000 teamsters began a strike today causing general demoralization in many industries. The public is suffering great inconvenience as the drivers of water carts and garbage wagons are among the strikers. The chief demands are an increase in wages and 11 hours' work per day. In the forenoon the strikers gathered in many parts of the city and endeavored to prevent wagons being taken out by union strikers. Disturbances ensued and many arrests were made.

RETURN TO CALIFORNIA.

Mrs. Mary McSorley, her daughter Annie and her son Judge A. I. McSorley who have been visiting Mrs. McSorley's sister, Mrs. Margaret McNabb of Pleasant street, have started for their home in Calaveras County, Cal.

EXTRA

80,000 MINERS

Demand That Check Weighing Decision be Observed

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 1—The executive board of the Wyoming and Lackawanna district mine workers, representing 80,000 men, went into session here today. The board is to decide what action shall be taken to force the operators to observe the check weighing and check docking "Boss" decision of Umpire Carroll D. Wright and has been given the power by that district to order a strike at every colliery where it is not enforced.

District President Nicholas, who presided, said in an interview before the meeting: "The operators state that we should refer the grievance to an umpire. It has been finally settled by Mr. Wright's decision as umpire and we see no reason why that should be changed just because it does not suit the operators."

CARROL D. WRIGHT

DOES NOT EXPECT MINERS WILL STRIKE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor of the department of commerce and labor, expressed the opinion today that no strike of the anthracite miners would result from the contention which has arisen between the operators and miners concerning the appointment by the miners of a check weighing boss in various collieries.

Mr. Wright called at the White House to present to the president his annual report on wages, an abstract of which aleady has been published. At the conclusion of his interview with the president he talked briefly about the pending difficulty between the anthracite operators and miners. By agreement, he is the umpire to whom all disputes which may arise over the carrying into effect of the finding of the anthracite coal commissions may be referred. The award provided that if in any colliery the miners desired one of their number as a check weighing boss, whose duty it should be to protect the interest of the miners in the weighing of coal taken out of the colliery he should be appointed. His pay was to be assessed pro-rata upon the miners of the colliery receiving the benefit of his services. In the collieries of the Cox Bros. at Wilkesbarre and at other collieries a majority have asked for a check weighing boss.

The proposition has been objected to by the operators because all of the men did not ask that the coal be check weighed. The operators maintained that only the men who required the checking should be assessed to pay for the weighing services. The matter was referred to Mr. Wright as umpire and he decided that the assessment should be made on all of the men employed in any given colliery. The decision was not satisfactory to the operators who suggested that another umpire be named to pass upon the subject.

The reason for the objection for the operators is not clear to Mr. Wright. He regards such a plan as perfectly fair to both sides. Under the provisions of the award, if the men who do not ask for the checking boss object to paying their portion of the assessment, they may be discharged. It is simply a case of enforcement of a rule of the majority. Mr. Wright expressed a belief that no strike would arise from the present contention and he thought the operators would abide by his decision.

John Gallagher of Chapel street has started on a short vacation to be spent in Boston.

INTEREST BEGINS

Wednesday, August 3rd, Savings Department. Traders National Bank.

Deposit Now

BROSNAHAN OUT

Small-Pox Patient at Liberty Again

HAVING RECOVERED FROM HIS AILMENT

Which Caused Discussion Among the Experts

Michael Brosnahan, the patient at the small-pox hospital, the exact nature of whose disease was the subject of some discussion, has settled the controversy himself by becoming cured and he will leave the institution this evening, none the worse for his detention except for the ravages of the disease.

EXPECT GOOD FISHING.

John J. Sullivan, the well-known tailor, John J. Hanlon, member of the school committee, and Dr. John Walsh left today for Shapleigh, Me., where they will spend the next two weeks. There is great fishing on the lake situated near the hotel where they are stopping and they expect to land some fine trout and salmon.

WANTED—A young man between 16 and 21 years old to learn barber trade. Inquire Sun Office.

LOST—A gold bracelet marked letter G. Friday evening. Return to Sun Office and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Singer sewing machines, three almost new machines, one tailor machine, very cheap as we retire from business. Apply today 103 Gorham st.

THIS IS Quarter Week AT THE CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK 58 CENTRAL ST.

Lunch Sets, 25c EACH

C. B. Coburn Co.
63 Market Street

6 O'CLOCK

SAFE WAS ROBBED

Clerk Charged With Larceny of Money and Checks

Harry M. Freed, charged with breaking and entering and larceny in the Bell Clothing company's store in Merrimack street, was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court today and through his counsel, D. J. Donahue, pleaded not guilty and waived reading of the complaint. He was ordered in $400 for his appearance before the court on Thursday morning.

The government alleges that Freed had a duplicate key made with which he gained entrance to the store. Mr. Zimmer, the Middle street locksmith, has identified Freed and the key. He made it for Freed, he said, several days ago.

The complainant, Samuel W. Levy, manager of the Bell Clothing company, alleges that $181, several checks, a mileage book and a trip book were taken from the safe. The checks, mileage book and trip book were returned, by mail, to Mr. Levy.

The breaking, entering and larceny were committed Thursday evening.

Harry M. Freed, the defendant, claims to be a member of the Bell Clothing company. That claim, however, is denied, but the fact is admitted that his mother has an interest in the business.

Freed's father, who died about a year ago in New York, was a member of the Bell Clothing company and Harry M. Freed is the nephew of the present manager of the store, Samuel W. Levy. Fred has been hired as a salesman by the company.

FUNERALS

TOLBY—The funeral of George A. Tolby, child of Franklin and Nellie, took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of his parents, 3 Mission place, Wigginville, and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

POWERS—The funeral of Catherine Powers, child of Thomas and Mary, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, 1 Winslow's block in First street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

SECOR—The funeral of James Francis Secor, child of Frank and Ellen, took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the home of her parents, 65 Willie street and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

McKENZIE—The funeral of Roderick McKenzie took place from his home, 353 Central street, yesterday afternoon, at 2.30. Services were held in the chapel at the Edson cemetery, at 3 o'clock, Rev. J. M. Craig, of the First Presbyterian church officiating. The bearers were Alexander Rule, William Farrell, John Plunkett, Frederick Poore, Larry Stevens and Stuart Greig. Undertaker J. F. Weinbeck had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MARTIN—The funeral of Della Martin took place from her home, 34 Cady street, yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. At 2.30 services were held at St. Peter's church, Rev. Hugh McDermond officiating. The bearers were Michael Broderick, Michael McGrath, John and Frank Green, Lawrence O'Day and James Gray. Burial was in St. Peter's cemetery, arrangements in charge of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

PERRAULT—The funeral of Percy Perrault took place from the undertaking rooms of Undertaker Molloy in Market street, yesterday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. At 3.15 services were held in St. Peter's church, Rev. Hugh McDermod officiating. The bearers were Peter Malone, Sinclair Brodie, William McKinley and H. Bournet. Burial was in St. Peter's cemetery, the funeral arrangements managed by C. H. Molloy.

McMULLEN—The funeral of Norman A. McMullen was held Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, in Billerica Centre. Rev. Mr. Evans was the officiating clergyman and burial was in the Edson cemetery. Undertakers C. M. Young & Co. in charge.

DICKIE—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella R. Dickie was held Saturday afternoon at her late residence, 56 Starbird street. Rev. J. M. Craig was the officiating clergyman and burial was in Pencham, Vt.. Undertakers C. M. Young in charge.

SCOLLAN—The funeral of Margaret Scollan took place from the home of her parents, 4 Lowell place, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and it was largely attended. There were many floral offerings. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

FADIAN—The funeral of Margaret Fadian took place from the home of her parents, 48 Elm street, yesterday afternoon at 2.30. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

RILEY—The funeral of Alice Riley took place from the undertaking rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

GARREY—The funeral of Bridget Garrey took place from the rooms of Undertaker Molloy, yesterday afternoon at 4.30. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

August 11th is the date of the excursion to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

The Itch Fiend

That is Salt Rheum or Eczema,—one of the outward manifestations of scrofula.

It comes in itching, burning, oozing, drying, and scaling patches, on the face, head, hands, legs or body.

It cannot be cured by outward applications,—the blood must be rid of the impurity to which it is due.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has cured the most persistent and difficult cases. Accept no substitute for Hood's; no substitute acts like it.

GEN. KELLER DEAD

Russian Officer Killed in Battle by Japanese

MUKDEN, Aug. 1.—It is reported that Lieut.-General Count Keller has been killed east of Liao Yang.

REPORT CONFIRMED.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A despatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg confirms the report of the death of General Keller, saying he was killed by a fragment of a Japanese shell at the time he was opposing the Japanese advance along the railway near Haicheng.

Lieut.-General Count Keller at the opening of the war was in command of the second Siberian army division. He was 54 years of age and resigned the governorship of Egaterinslaff in order to go to the front.

He sustained two reverses at the hands of the Japanese July 4 and 17, being repulsed in attacks on Motien pass. General Keller took part in the three campaigns of the Russo-Turkish war. He possessed cool judgment and was considered to be a fine strategist.

DEATHS

MORRIS—Charles E. Morris died at the home of his parents, Chas. E. and Selina Morris in Billerica Centre, yesterday, aged 1 year, 7 months, 15 days.

SANDERSON—William Sanderson, aged 32 years, died at his residence, 26 Bleachery street, Saturday. He leaves to mourn his loss a father and mother three brothers, Robert, Samuel and George, and one sister, Miss Hannah Sanderson.

HOLLAND—Mrs. Catherine I. Holland, widow of the late James B. Holland, died at Waterville, Me., Friday, aged 68 years, 10 months, 18 days. She was for 20 years housekeeper for Rev. A. L. Seward, D. D., formerly pastor of the Unitarian church of Lowell.

ASHWORTH—Mrs. Elizabeth Ashworth, aged 73 years, widow of the late Sager Ashworth, died Saturday, at her residence, 23 Rock street. She leaves two sons, Geo. L., and Albion S.; also two brothers and three sisters.

HARDMAN—George Hardman died yesterday at his home, 123 Agawam street. He leaves a widow, son, David B., and two daughters, Mrs. Warren A. Bishop and Mrs. C. A. Leybrand. The deceased was a vestryman of St. John's Episcopal church, and for many years a member of the church. He was a member of Manchester lodge, No. 12, A. F. A. M., of Coventry, R. I., and Landmark chapter, No. 10, of Warwick, R. I. He was also identified with Warbington lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F., of River Point, R. I., and Howard encampment, No. 6, of the same place. He was for many years a member of the Machine Painters' Beneficial association.

FITZPATRICK—James Fitzpatrick, aged 62 years, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. McNeill, 16 Albion street. He is survived by his father, three sisters and two brothers.

BUTLER—Thomas Leo Butler, aged three months, child of John S., the well known conductor on the Boston & Northern railroad, died this morning at the home of his parents, 132 Middlesex street.

PAIGE—Lucy A. Paige, wife of Elisha F. Paige died last night at the home in Billerica Centre, aged 75 years, 11 months. Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Fannie S. Paige.

BILLERICA

List of unclaimed letters at the post office Billerica for month ending July 31:

Geo. Baban, Frank Bourgis, Mrs. L. D. Butters, Mrs. Stephen Conner, Frank R. Dow, C. H. Evans, Blanche Evans, Miss A. R. Fletcher, Miss Mary Griffin, Thomas F. Lynch, Millard F. Mackie, Charles H. Tucker, Beatrice Jeffcock, Aline Kelly, Mary L. Kelley, Margaret Miller, William Sanborn, Charles H. Saxon 2, B. Scannell, G. G. Wilson.

INCUBATOR GRADUATES MEET.

NEW YOH, Aug. 1.—Graduates of the Infant Incubator have held a reunion at the Infant Incubator Institute at Coudpland. There were about forty present ranging in age from three months, the usual period allowed them in the incubators to three years. In the case of the latter there were three from Brooklyn ,triplets, whose lives had been saved at the incubator exhibit during the Panama American exposition in Buffalo in 1901 and who are now as big and healthy as any youngsters of their age.

FIREWORKS CASE

Will be Heard by Committee This Week

BUT BILL CAN'T BE PAID YET

As it is Under an Attachment

The committee on accounts will probably be the only committee of the city council to meet this evening owing to the fact that it is vacation season in the city council, and the committee on accounts is the only one that must hold monthly meetings.

The hearing on the Fourth of July fireworks bill will take place at the next meeting in all probability in accordance with a vote passed at the last meeting of the committee. At that time Mayor Howe who awarded the contract and Mr. Luce the agent for the fireworks company which provided the display will appear before the committee and explain how the contract was awarded and Purchasing Agent Donnelly has also been asked to appear before the committee, the latter at the time of so voting being under the impression that the purchasing agent acted with the mayor in letting the contract.

Such was not the case, however, as the mayor awarded the contract without consulting Mr. Donnelly and the latter knows nothing about the manner in which they were bought. Mr. Donnelly simply took the contract after it had been awarded and had the city solicitor add a clause to it protecting the city from suits for damages in case of accident. That Mr. Donnelly's foresightedness has saved the city inconvenience if not money is evidenced by the fact that already an attachment has been placed on the bill in the city treasurer's office by counsel for a boy who was injured during the display by a flying rocket.

GIRL KIDNAPPED

SHE WAS DRAGGED INTO THE WOODS.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The mysterious disappearance of Annie Pico of Cedar street, Winchester, a 19 year-old Italian girl, who landed in America only three months ago, has been reported to the police. Her brother claims that she was set upon by three men and dragged into the woods near the Symmes farm, and has not been seen since.

The missing girl was employed, with perhaps 40 others of her nationality, on the Symmes farm. She is said to be the comliest girl of her race in the vicinity of Boston.

On Friday night, when Annie left work and started for home with two girl companions, they went along a strip of woods. Three Italians approached from the opposite direction, and springing upon them, one man, said to be named "Billy," grabbed Annie about the waist and dragged her into a thicket. She screamed, but Billy pressed his hand over her mouth. Annie's companions ran back to the farm to give the alarm, and the other men went into the woods.

Chief McIntosh and Patrolman Hargrove, with Selectman Symmes, searched the woods for nearly five hours, but no trace of the girl or the men supposed to have kidnapped her could be found.

BADLY BATTERED

NOVA SCOTIA SHIP IN BAD CONDITION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Southern Pacific company's steamer Proteus which arrived today from New Orleans reports having passed the Nova Scotia ship Kingscounty in a badly battered but not entirely helpless condition during the voyage. The Kingscounty had lost the fore and main top gallant masts, the main mast head, mizzen royal mast and jib-boom. When seen by the Proteus, however, she was working along under her remaining sails, and as she had not been damaged she declined assistance. The Kingscounty was bound from Pensacola for Rio Janerio and when sighted by the Proteus was about 75 miles off the Florida coast.

EX-GOV. PATTISON

DEMOCRATIC LEADER IN PENNSYLVANIA IS DEAD.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—Former Governor Robert E. Pattison, one of the democratic leaders of Pennsylvania died today at his country home at Overbrook ,a suburb.

PROMINENT LAWYER DEAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Jos. H. Campbell, 73 years of age, formerly a lawyer of Louisville, Ky., and later an inventor of food-products, is dead at the home of his daughter in Mount Vernon. Mr. Campbell was born in Pennsylvania and was graduated from Washington and Jefferson college in 1852.

Mr. Campbell and S. R. Wilson of the department of agriculture worked together in developing food-products.

REV. FR. KERWIN PREACHED.

At the Sacred Heart church yesterday, high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., and the sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Kerwin, O. M. I., a former altar boy of this church and whose parents still reside in the parish. The text of his discourse was "I Believe in One Catholic and Apostolic Church," and was delivered in an eloquent and instructive manner.

FEET BURNED.

Alpemoss Paros, residing at 98 Fenwick street and employed at the Lowell Machine shop while at work this morning met with a painful accident. He was pouring hot metal from a ladle when the metal was spilled over both his feet. He was removed in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital where his feet were dressed.

SOCIALIST CAUCUSES.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The socialists state committee has sent out its call for state caucuses to be held September 26 and 27. The caucuses on the 26th will be held in cities and towns which have not accepted the Lace joint caucus law, and on the 27th at all other places. The state convention will be held in Paine Memorial Hall, Boston, October 3.

CHARLES McCARTHY, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE LAWN PARTY.

BIG LAWN PARTY

AND ATHLETIC MEET IN AID OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The members of the Quality Hill track team defeated an aggregation of athletes of this city and Dracut going under the name of Collinsville, at Collinsville Saturday afternoon, the affair being held in conjunction with the annual lawn party of St. Mary's church in that village. Owing to the fact that six of the Quality Hill team were absent, that team had to work exceptionally hard in order to win. Mozley, Low and Dodge of the victorious team, however, did fine work, while Rynne, Burke and Campbell excelled for the vanquished team.

The summary of the events was as follows:

One mile—Won by Mozley, (Q. H.); Shafter, (Q. H.) second.

100 yard dash—Won by Lew (Q. H.); Brick, (C.), second; Dodge, (Q. H.), third.

440 yard run—Won by Dodge, (Q. H.); Hugh German, (C.), second; Campbell (C.), third.

½ mile—Won by Mozley, (Q. H.); Shafter, (Q. H.) second; Patrick German, (C.) third.

Running high jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Dodge, (Q. H.) second.

Running broad jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Fogg, (Q. H.) third.

Standing high jump—Won by Rynne, (C.); Dodge, (Q. H.) second.

Hop, step and jump Won by Burke, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Campbell, (C.) third.

Pole vault—Fogg of Quality Hill and Rynne of the Collinsville team tied for first. The points were divided, each taking 4½.

Shot put—Won by McDonald, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Rynne, (C.) third.

Total score—Quality Hill 49½, Collinsville, 40½.

After the track events the open events were pulled off, the 100 yards dash being especially interesting, Rynne and Lew fighting for the honors, the former winning by inches. The half mile open was won by Harry Mozley. The 100 yards dash for boys was won by Leo McCarthy and a second race of the same kind was won by Alex Harvey.

During the evening dancing was enjoyed by the younger element, and the various tables, which were presided over by a number of young men and women, did a thriving business.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

Great Interest in "Ho for the Beach"

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Lowell Branch of the United Irish League was held last evening at the headquarters of the organization in Barristers' hall. Richard J. Lyons presided. Reports were received from the picnic committee giving assurance that the outing would be a success.

It was stated by Chairman Michael Lee of the picnic committee that the league had made arrangements to have its headquarters during Thursday next—the day of the picnic—at the Hotel Pleasanton, Revere beach.

The American and Irish flags will be put out in honor of the occasion and a specially prepared shore dinner will be provided for about 200 members of the party.

It was also reported at last night's meeting that the national secretary, John O'Callaghan, and other members of the central branch will be guests of the league at the "Ho, for the Beach" picnic.

It was reported that the electric railroad officials could not handle more than one big excursion or picnic on the same day and in consequence the announcement that if rain should interfere with McManus picnic on Wednesday it would be postponed till the next day, is a mistake. Superintendent Lees states that if the children's picnic be postponed from Wednesday it must go over till Friday. The "Ho! for the Beach" will, therefore, be the only large picnic from Lowell on Thursday next.

The free tickets for the beach shows will be distributed to the passengers holding round trip tickets by General Manager Lee. It was announced that as many as possible should secure tickets by Wednesday night in order to avoid the rush Thursday morning. The cars will leave the square at 7 and the party should be on hand ten minutes earlier.

The members of the league were reminded that their presence was desired at the lawn party to be held tomorrow night at the premises of Mrs. Arthur Livesey, 27 Anderson street.

Miss Honan sang two selections which were warmly applauded.

Old Orchard is a beautiful resort for a day's outing. The round trip rate is $1.50 via the Boston & Maine railroad on August 11th.

BOOTT MILLS

ARE CLOSED FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST.

In accordance with the notices posted in the different departments last week the Boott mills closed today and will not reopen until the first of September.

AN OLD RESIDENT

Mrs. Sally B. Webster Aged 93, Dead

Mrs. Sally B. Webster, one of Dracut's oldest residents passed away last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin P. Fox, on Marsh Hill. The deceased was 93 years, six months and four days old at the time of her death. She was a native of Manchester, N. H., and lived for many years in Pelham, N. H., before moving to the home of her daughter in Dracut 14 years ago. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Fox and Miss Sarah J. Webster, one brother, John H. Baker of Hudson, N. H., and one sister, Julia A. Baker of Manchester, N. H.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Died, July 31, at Dracut, Mrs. Sally B. Webster, aged 93 years, six months and four days. Funeral will take place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin P. Fox, Marsh Hill, Dracut, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SIXTY-ONE ALARMS

RESPONDED TO BY FIRE DEPARTMENT IN JULY.

The local firemen responded to 61 alarms during the month of July just ended. Fifteen of this number were from the automatic box at the Putnam & Son clothing store in Central street during the early part of the month, caused by the automatic alarm being out of order. For several days, during all hours of the day and night the firemen from the protective company were summoned to the store, only to find that there was no fire.

The only real serious fire during the month was on the 17th of the month when an alarm from box 371 was pulled in for a fire in the house of Mrs. William F. Courtney, in Middlesex street, at the city line.

During the month there were 19 bell alarms, 15 automatic, 17 telephone and 10 stills, as follows:

July 2, two automatics and box 35; 3, two stills, two telephones and three automatics; 4, four automatics, one still, one telephone and boxes 38, 37 and 16; 5, two automatics, a telephone and box 19; 6, box 151 and two automatics; 9, two telephones, a still and an automatic; 10, telephone and automatic; 12, telephone; 13, telephone; 14, telephone; 16, box 21; 16, three telephones; 17, box 371, still and telephone; 18, boxes 16 and 147; 19, still; 20, box 43 and two stills; 21, boxes 6, 36, 53 and 37 and a telephone; 22, box 46 and a still; 30, box 48 and a telephone; 31, box 115 and a telephone.

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60,000 ARE IDLE

Collieries in Schuykill Region Closed

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 1.—The shut-down at the collieries in the Schuykill region today was complete with the exception of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company's collieries in the Panther Creek valley.

All the individual operations along the Reading system were compelled to shut down by reason of the fact that no cars will be furnished until August 8. About 60,000 men in this county are idle as the result of the suspension.

CITY OF ROCKLAND

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 1—Temporary repairs which will continue about five days were begun today on the steamer City of Rockland which was floated and beached at Five Kilns yesterday. Three divers, Abbott Baker of Vineyard Haven and Brooks and Sullivan of Boston, were working on the hull and bottom. The machinery will be examined and possibly if found to be in working order the steamer will proceed to Boston under her own steam. She will be accompanied by at least one tug however, and will be equipped with two pumps.

LAMED FOR LIFE

BEAR ATTACKED SEVEN YEAR OLD BOY.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 1—Several hundred persons saw a brown bear attempting to eat seven-year-old Robert Mayer at the bear pit in Cadwallader Park yesterday. The little fellow had ventured near the cage and was caught and held by the beast putting its claws through the bars of the cage. The animal tore off the shoe off his right foot and had sunk his teeth in his leg before the chief of the park guard rescued the lad. The chief used his club on the animal and broke its hold on the boy. The little fellow was hurried to the hospital where his injuries were found to be so severe that he will be lamed in all probability for life.

FEMALE TRAMP

MARY HAYDEN ADMITS SHE IS A HOBO.

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 1—Mary Hayden, apparently 30 years old, poorly dressed and penniless, was arrested last night by an officer at the freight yard of the Consolidated railroad for vagrancy. When taken to the police station, Mary failed to tell a connected story of her wandering. Her occupation was "nothing" and she failed to give any particular address.

At the depot she said that she lost what little money she had by betting on the races last week in New York and jumped a freight in the hopes of getting to Boston, where she has friends. She refused to give their names, however, and doesn't seem to mind her arrest. She says the ride from New York was all right, although the brakeman put her off several times. They finally took pity on her and let her ride the last few miles in the caboose.

She claims to have made the ride between New York and Boston several times on freight trains, and freely admits that she is a female tramp.

TWO LITTLE CURLS

Policeman Found Them in Lawrence Street

Two golden curls are at the police station awaiting an owner. They were picked up by Officer Charles Hill in Lawrence street, Sunday morning. The curls were wrapped in coarse paper. One curl is lighter than the other and pinned to the paper in which they are contained is the following note: "Chester and Lester Worden's curls, cut off when they were two years old—1889."

FELL FROM CAR

MAN WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED AT MEDFORD.

MEDFORD, Aug. 1.—An unknown man, apparently a Swede, fell from the Boston & Northern street railway car due at Medford at 10.30 yesterday morning and was severely injured.

He was standing on the platform of the car when his hat blew off near Franklin avenue, just above the city farm. Without warning for the car to stop, he jumped, facing to the rear.

He was picked up in a semiconscious condition and removed to the Medford police station in the patrol wagon. A physician was called and the injured man was later removed to the Massachusetts general hospital.

Only a watch and a small mirror were found upon him. The conductor was of the opinion that the man boarded the car in the vicinity of North Woburn or Wilmington, and had a recollection of changing a $1 bill for his fare. No money, however, was found in his pockets.

He is described as about 25 to 28 years old, 5 feet 9 inches in height, weighing about 170 pounds, of muscular build, apparently a farmer or laborer. He wore a suit of dark clothes. His light hair, blue eyes and round features gave the impression that he was a Swede.

BROKE RECORD

FLANAGAN THREW THE HAMMER 173 FEET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—In the presence of fully 7000 spectators who attended the Gaelic athletic tournament for the benefit of the Christian training college at Clontarf, Dublin, Ire., which was held at Celtic park, Long Island City, yesterday, John J. Flanagan of the Greater New York Irish athletic association, increased the world's 16-pound hammer throwing record from 171 feet 9 inches to 173 feet. He also threw the 56-pound weight a distance of 36 feet 4 inches, which is within five inches of his world's record with that weight.

These two performances were recorded in the all-around weight-throwing contest, which also included throwing the discus and putting the 16-pound shot. The points scored were five for first three for second and one for third place in each of the four events, and Flanagan won with a total of 14 points.

"THREE FRIENDS" OUTING.

The "Three Friends" held a picnic at Mount Nebo, Dracut, Saturday, that was attended by about 200 persons. There was a fine list of sports including a ball game between the Excelsiors and the Young Reds which the latter won 12 to 3.

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10 with 1 Pkg. 10c Mince.
10 with 1 pkg. Pancake flour.
5 with 1 pkg 14c Force.
5 with 1 pkg. 10c Presto.
20 with 1 lb. 20c and 25c Coffee
10 with 1 bottle 10c Blue.
10 with 1 can 12c Peas.
10 with 1 can 12c Tomatoes.
10 with 1 pkg. 10c Corn Starch.
20 with 1 pkg. 12c Norka Oats.
20 with 1 pkg. Malted Oats.

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LATEST

THE STRIKE BROKEN

Claim of Chicago Packers Disputed by Strikers

CHICAGO, Aug. 1—Declaring the strike broken and that the working force had been recruited by more than 1,000 men and women, many of whom had deserted the union cause, the packers today began the week's operations with the largest receipts of livestock that have reached the stock yards since July 12, when the strike began. There were 915 cars carrying 25,000 cattle, 35,000 hogs and 17,000 sheep in the day's shipments from the west and with this supply the killing gangs in the big plants were busily occupied.

Swift and company declared that nearly all their old millwrights and car workers had returned to work, and further asserted that the firm never intends to take back striking teamsters or barn men, the claim being made that the packers had learned to do without wagons here. All shipments to Chicago branches will be made by railroad. Retailers will take their wagons to the branches for purchases.

Among the toilers who reached the stock yards today were one hundred colored women who were taken to Libby, McNeill and Libbys where they will do scrub work in place of the women who went on strike.

Assertions that the strike is broken were scouted by the strikers as being manifestly absurd.

READY TO STRIKE

STATEMENT ISSUED BY LIVE STOCK HANDLERS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—The position of the live stock handlers who struck at the stock yards in sympathy with the packing house employees and afterwards returned to their duties handling stock for the packing companies involved in the strike as well as for the independent plants, has been made plain by the official statement that their action was taken in obedience to their union officers. It is declared that they stand ready to strike again if it appears necessary. A report that the fire insurance underwriters have issued an order cancelling policies on packing establishments on account of the strike and because of the housing of so many men in the buildings has been positively denied by the insurance companies representatives.

dicting that the next few hours will dicted that the next few hours will witness important developments in the breaking up of the strikes. Strong efforts it is said have been made by representatives of the packers to induce desertions from the ranks of the strikers and the claim is made that the efforts are meeting with much success.

MILLS ARE CLOSED

No Attempt to Resume Work in Fall River

FALL RIVER, Aug. 1—The rumors current yesterday but officially denied that two of the cotton mills in this city would make an attempt to operate their machinery today were found to be false when the usual opening time came this morning, as not a mill involved in the strike was opened. No developments in the great strike were expected today and consequently the strikers lay abed late, leaving the streets with a deserted appearance during the early hours of the day. A meeting of the textile council will be held tomorrow when plans for the maintenance of the strike will be discussed.

UNION OFFICIALS

EXPECT SUPPORT OF FEDERATION OF LABOR.

FALL RIVER, Aug. 1—President Golden and Secretary Hibbert of the United Textile workers returned this morning from their trip to Washington for the purpose of securing the support of the American Federation of labor. While they were not successful in seeing President Gompers, who was in Philadelphia, they were given every assurance, by Secretary Morrison, of the moral and financial support of the A. F. L. and felt highly satisfied with the result of their trip.

The spinners union held a general meeting this morning and listened to the treasurer's weekly report. It was announced that strike contributions of $525.35 exclusive of the funds received by collectors have been made and relief had been given in a number of cases of distribution.

Rev. Bennetts C. Miller, pastor of the Summerfield M. E. church, announces that on account of the strike he will forego his usual vacation this year.

Contributions for the strikers continue to come in.

ASPHALT CASE

Official Account of the Seizure

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1—The first official account of the action of the Venezuelan government in respect to the seizure of the properties of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company have come to the state department in a cablegram from Minister Bowen at Caracas. Mr. Bowen said that suit was brought by the Venezuelan government against the Asphalt company on the ground that it had failed to carry out certain portions of its concessions, especially those requiring it to dig canals, dredge channels in the rivers and export other produce than asphalt. Because of the company's failure in these matters, the Venezuelan government asked the court to order an embargo corresponding to the ordinary American injunction and to appoint a custodian or receiver. The court granted this application, laid the embargo and appointed A. H. Carner as custodian. He sailed on a Venezuelan warship for the nearest port to the Asphalt lakes before notice was issued on the company. Minister Bowen explains that while the statutes of Venezuela embargo proceedings such as in the case of leases, this would scarcely apply to the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company property which are held under concessions. The custodian, Mr. Carner seized these properties on the 27th ultimo and remains in possession. Prof. John Bassett Moore and John Lindsay of New York as attorneys representing the New York and Bermudez company called at the state department today and had a long conference with acting Secretary Loomis and Solicitor Penfield in regard to the protection of the company's interests against such arbitrary proceedings as those that have taken place. They confirmed the press report from Port of Spain to the effect that the British minister at Caracas had protested against the seizure of the asphalt lake at Guanaco. It was explained that there is a proper double interest in this matter for while New York and Bermudez company is an American corporation and most of its stock is owned here, the bonds of the company are held to the extent of about a million dollars in England, giving the British government the right to intervene to protect its citizens' interests. Mr. Bowen has already been authorized by the state department to protest against the retention of the property of the Asphalt company under the court's orders. As the state department is anxious to secure further information as to the complexities of Venezuelan law in this case it probably will await the mails before moving further in the case.

GIRL DROWNED

LOST HER LIFE WHILE IN BATHING.

WOODMONT, Conn., Aug. 1—Miss Grace Sherwood, aged 16, daughter of A. F. Sherwood, a prominent citizen of Waterbury was drowned today while swimming. She was visiting at the summer home of Eliot H. Morse, treasurer of the Connecticut Savings bank of New Haven.

NINETEEN STATES

REPRESENTED AT BERNE, SWITZERLAND.

BERNE, Switzerland, Aug. 1.—Nineteen states, including the United States were represented at the International conference on industrial property which opened here today. The conference will discuss the unification and simplification of regulations relating to industrial property in different countries. P. G. L. Webb, chief clerk of the patent office at Washington represents the United States.

GEORGE GARDNER

WILL GET BACK IN THE GAME IN THE FALL.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 1—George Gardner, with his manager, Jack Curley, is still in this city, where Gardner is matched to fight Jim Jeffords. Gardner has not been himself pugilistically speaking, for some time, and it is here where the ex-lightweight champion hopes to rejuvenate himself for a big campaign next fall, when he hopes to go out after the best in the business. Gardner likes the climate here and is working hard to regain his old time form. This he says he is fast doing and thinks he will have little trouble in knocking out the big fellow Jeffords.

ENTERTAINED BY FRIENDS.

Mrs. Andrew and Master Raymond Bray and Mrs. Josephine Bucklin of Pawtucket, R. I. who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lang of 82 High street the past week were entertained last evening by their friends. There were piano solos by Mrs. Josephine Bucklin, Miss Margaret and Miss Winnifred Finnegan; song, Mrs. Bray; violin solo, Mrs. Neland; song, Raymond Bray; song, Mrs. Fanny Bidwelle.

RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

Continued.

JAPANESE LANDING NEAR YIENKOW

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1 The emperor today received the following despatch, dated July 31, from General Kuropatkin:

"Three Japanese armies have renewed offensive operations on our southern front. Our rear guard made an obstinate defence until the approach of superior forces of the enemy and then gradually retired in the direction of Haicheng. A detachment near Simoucheng, 15 miles southeast of Haicheng, successfully withstood the enemy until the afternoon.

"The attack was directed against our right flank which from its position at Kanhus pass inflicted great losses on the Japanese.

"The efforts of the Takushan army and Gen. Oku's army today are being mainly directed to cutting our communications between Simoucheng and Haicheng, their operations starting from a line traversing Yanshukan, Tapuntze and Liaohantz.

"On our eastern front the Japanese began the offensive this morning against our Ikhaynen position, the enemy's main concentration being against its right flank, which was turned.

"The enemy is also acting on the offensive between Liao Yang and Saimatsza (almost due north of Fengwang Cheng) against our troops posted at Houtsatze (25 miles from Liao Yang.)

"Intelligence has been received of a considerable number of Japanese landing off Yienkow under the cover of several warships."

JAPANESE RETREATED FROM SIMOUCHENG

LIAO YANG, Saturday, July 30—(Delayed in transmission.)—Artillery firing occurred at Simoucheng yesterday. It is reported that the Japanese retired. Trains are running half way between Haicheng and Tatchekiao. The reports of skirmish fighting along all parts of the front are confirmed.

SITUATION AT FRONT REGARDED AS CRITICAL

ST. PETERSBURG, August 1, 3.35 a. m.—Although public attention has been distracted from the events of the war during the past week, first because of the fear of international complications and second because of the assassination of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve, the situation at the front is regarded as critical.

The enveloping movement of the three Japanese armies of Generals Kuroki, Nodzu and Oku around Gen. Kuropatkin's position appears to be almost complete, and the extended line of the Japanese seems to be the only drawback to concerted action. It is realized here that the Russian general must now either fight or withdraw the whole army northward. He is being closely pressed at Haicheng. At that place Gen. Kuroki's northern column makes it extremely dangerous to remain there, because, while holding the position to give battle against the Japanese, whose advance is notoriously always slow and careful, Gen. Kuroki might push through and cut his railway communications to Liaoyang.

While nothing definite is known, there are some unofficial indications that matters are rapidly maturing for either a battle or a retreat. For instance, the refusal to accept further press telegrams at Haicheng is shown by the fact that one of the correspondents of the Associated Press had to ride through to Mukden to file an account of the Tatchekiao fight. This might be construed either that preparations are making for a retirement or that the wires are very crowded, incident to a concentration at Haicheng or Liaocheng or Liaoyang.

A few days are expected to determine which course Gen. Kuropatkin has elected to pursue.

There is no inclination here to doubt that there may have been pretty severe fighting at the outer portions of Port Arthur, possibly accompanied by a bombardment from the sea, but it is not believed that the Japanese are yet ready to storm the fortress. Rear Admiral Withoft, in command of the naval forces at Port Arthur is relied on to put to sea after the condition of the fortress becomes desperate. While no definite information is obtainable, the report that the fortress is experiencing a shortness of ammunition is considered by the public as the most disquieting feature of the situation there.

The Vladivostok squadron is expected back in port today or tomorrow.

The indications are that the Baltic squadron is on the eve of an important movement. Nothing regarding this can be ascertained officially but many of the officers already hav bade farewell to friends and families and are holding themselves ready for instant service. The emperor had arranged to inspect the squadron but his plan was given up owing to the assassination of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve.

RUSSIAN LOSSES NOT YET REPORTED

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—A further despatch from Gen. Kuropatkin to the emperor dated today, says:

"All our positions were retained at Simoucheng when the fighting ceased at 6.15 p. m. July 31 but I have not yet received reports from operations on our extreme right flank.

"We retained all our positions held by our eastern force at Yanze pass. General Keller, commanding, had chosen this as the point from which to watch the fight. A battery near him was exposed to heavier fire than any other and he was mortally wounded at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He died 20 minutes later."

General Kuropatkin also reported the retirement of the Russian van-guard on the south front a short distance in the direction of Haicheng. After determined fighting near the village of Sanchengtze the Japanese apparently concentrated considerable forces on the Saimatsa side of Liao Yang. The Russian losses in the fighting on July 31, have not yet been reported but the Russians hold their positions.

SHELL BURST NEAR COUNT KELLER

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—The report of Lieutenant General Count Kellers death is confirmed.

He was killed July 29 while repelling the attack of General Kuroki's army on the Yanze pass, 30 miles east of Liao Yang. The general was standing near a battery which was subjected to a terrific fire when a shell burst close to him and he fell, mortally wounded, dying 20 minutes later. Before he expired, General Keller had the satisfaction of knowing that the Japanese attack had been repelled.

General Keller was the first high Russian military commander to lose his life in this war. He resigned the high and lucrative post of governor of Ekaterinoslaff to go to the front and exchanged with General Zazsalitch, who now resume the command of the first Siberian army corps.

The loss of General Keller is deeply felt in court circles. He was a personal favorite of the emperor. His sister, Countess Kleinmichel, is one of the leaders of St. Petersburg society.

RUSSIAN TROOPS HOLDING THEIR OWN

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—Preparations have been completed for the departure, under the command of Rear Admiral Enquist, of the cruiser Division of the second Russian Pacific squadron, now lying off Cronstadt. The warships will weigh anchor and put to sea under sealed orders within three days while it is also believed the auxiliary cruisers Don and Ural, which probably are the ships reported as passing Copenhagen with two torpedo boats, will be followed at once by other converted merchantmen. This time the admiralty has resolved that there shall be no question of the character of the warships engaged in stopping contraband. The Don and the Ural will replace the St. Petersburg and Smolensk, which will come home and be recommissioned.

A current story of an attempt to blow up a building in the Neva yards by a man in a boat is untrue. It is only a distorted version feature of M. Plehve's assassin's accomplice, of which the true account was cabled from here July 29.

The suggestion of M. Souvorin, editor of the Novo Vremya of the establishment of a responsible cabinet is creating much popular comment. Great significance attaches to the freedom with which the newspapers are discussing the matter. The cry has been taken up by the reactionary Prince Meschtchersky, editor of the Grazhdanin, who argues that a cabinet has become necessary. M. Souvorin this morning refers to the charge in a signed article pointing out the evils of the present system and saying that the rivalry between the ministers is causing chaos in the public service, each pulling its own way, secure from criticism under the cloak of personal irresponsibility.

AMERICAN TRUSTS BLAMED FOR WAR

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—12.55 p. m.—M. Menshikoff the well known writer, who formerly accused the Jews of responsibility for promoting the present war, now charges "the gigantic American trusts, anxious to find new fields for exploitation in Asia," with the main responsibility.

With the view of promoting shipbuilding the government has promised to loan money to purchasers of Russian built merchantmen. The details of the new Russo-German commercial treaty are carefully guarded and will not be promulgated although it seems certain that Russia has conceded greatly against Russian cereals which are even said to be double. Some of the papers express satisfaction saying this is better than uncertainty.

It is not believed here that the German agrarians will succeed in having the new tariff enforced before January, 1906. The Novoe Vremya, today devotes an editorial to praising the German captain of the Portland and Asiatic liner Arabia, seized by the Russian Vladivostok squadron, for protesting against carrying contraband when he discovered what the nature of his cargo was to be.

Discussing the case of the British steamer Knight Commander (sunk by the Vladivostok squadron off Izu) the Novoe Vremyra points to the action of the Americans in the war of 1812 in sinking English ships and also to some alleged history of the civil war, when, the paper says, over a hundred blockade runners were sunk. The Novoe Vremyra concluded: "Before lodging the complaints our well wishers are preparing, it would be well for them to look up what they did themselves."

On the other hand, most of the other papers seem to have no desire to arouse an acrimonious discussion and are abstaining entirely from criminations.

RUSSIAN TROOPS HOLDING THEIR OWM

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1, 4.25 p. m.—The latest reports from the scene of the battle are to the effect that the Russians up to last night successfully repulsed the Japanese attacks against Simoucheng.

IMPORTANT BATTLE EXPECTED SOON

LIAO YANG, Saturday, July 30.—(Delayed in transmission)—A Japanese officer who had been taken prisoner and a hundred wounded and disabled Russians have arrived here from the east where it is reported the Russians attempted to cut the Japanese column marching toward Mukden.

The Russians have taken very few prisoners so far, probably because of their having fallen back from the battlefield in each engagement, leaving the Japanese in possession of the spoils. A train bearing wounded Russians has arrived from the south, where it is reported there is continued fighting east and south of Haicheng.

Events of most important consequence are now expected to occur east of Liao Yang.

SOLDIERS SING DURING BATTLE

HAICHENG, Aug. 1.—The Japanese on Sunday attacked the heights of Kang Wa pass, the right of the Russian position at Simoucheng. Under cover of their artillery the Japanese infantry charged, but the Russian guns drove them back in confusion and silenced two of their batteries. The Russian losses were slight.

At Haicheng and Tatchekiao the same day there was a long distance artillery duel which had little effect. A shell burst over a Russian gun killing two and wounding 11 gunners.

On Saturday night the Japanese made a desperate assault on Kang Wa heights with the bayonet and a hand-to-hand fight ensued but the Japanese were again repulsed fleeing down the hill in confusion. The Japanese are said to have employed their customary trick of advancing and shouting in Russian "Don't fire, we are friends." The Japanese renewed the attack at daylight yesterday, training all their guns on Kang Wa heights. By 6 o'clock the fight had developed along the whole front of 11 miles and was especially hot against General Mistchenko. The Russian artillery did magnificently, several times forcing the Japanese batteries to shift their positions. The Russians are holding all their positions at the hour when this despatch is sent from Haicheng.

The heat is almost unbearable and is trying to the fighting men but even while marching under the blazing sun and weighted down by accoutrements and ammunition, often without food or drink all day the men try to be cheerful and sing songs while grim work is in progress.

MADE NO DEMAND

Germany Has Not Sent Ultimatum to Venezuela

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—The foreign office here denies the report from Caracas that the German minister has presented an ultimatum to the Venezuelan government demanding the immediate payment of the interest on the indemnity stipulated in the protocol signed by H. W. Bowen representing Venezuela in February, 1903, under penalty of the withdrawal of the German minister on Aug. 4.

STRANGE PHENOMENOM

VESSEL AND CREW HAD FIERY COATING.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—The British ship Mohican while making for the Delaware breakwater has encountered a strange phenomenon. A cloud of phosphoric enveloped the vessel magnetizing everything on board. Capt. Urquhart says the vessel and crew had a fiery coating. "When the sailors saw it," said the captain, "they rushed to the needle and it was flying around like an electric fan. I ordered several of the crew to move some iron chains that were lying on the deck thinking to distract their attention. The sailors could not budge the chains, although they did not weigh more than 75 pounds each.

"Everything was magnetized and chains, bolts, spikes and bars were as tight on the deck as if they had been riveted there. The cloud was so dense that it was impossible for the vessel to proceed. I could not see beyond the decks. It appeared as if the whole world was a mass of glowing fire. The sailors fell on the decks and prayer. Suddenly the cloud began to lift. The phosphorescent glow on the ship and the crew began to fade. In a few minutes the cloud passed over the vessel and we saw it moving off over the sea."

CAPT. FOURNIER

IN COMMAND OF THE MOORISH POLICE.

PARIS, Aug. 1. The sultan of Morocco in accord with the French government has appointed Captain Fournier, of the French army to command the Moorish police in the Tangier district.

EMPEROR'S GUARD

HAS BEEN TRIPLED SINCE THE ASSASSINATION OF VON PLEHVE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—While the emperor's legions are fighting desperately at the front his majesty today attended the consecration of the new church of St. Zerapim at Old Peterhof. The new shore batteries at Oranienbaum below Peterhof have been completed. Two tiers of nine inch guns emplaced in these batteries command the south shore of the gulf of Finland beyond the radius of the fire of the Cronstadt forts.

In spite of the fact that the police say that the plot that resulted in the assassination of interior minister Von Plehve, distinctly placed the emperor as "uninvolved" many extra precautions have been taken to ensure his majesty's safety. His personal guard has been tripled.

BANK HOLIDAY

CELEBRATED THROUGHOUT THE UNITED KINGDOM.

LONDON, Aug. 1. The bank holiday was celebrated today throughout the United Kingdom. In London none of the government offices were open and here and in every other city the banks, stock exchanges and business houses were closed. Brilliant weather prevailed and in consequence the river and seaside resorts were crowded. At Cowes, Isle of Wight, King Edward, Queen Alexandria, and a large assembly of fashionable people attended the opening of regatta week. The weather was fine but the wind was light, only enough to flutter the innumerable burgees flying from the yachts which crowded the roadstead. The first race was a handicap for yachts over 100 tons, in which Emperor William's Meteor II and the Ingomar owned by Morton F. Plant of New York competed.

PERSONALS

Mr. Howard Hill of Chicago, representative of the Apollo piano player, was in Lowell last week as the guest of Louis Grunewald, Jr., whose music emporium is at 27 Central street. During his stay Mr. Hill gave an enjoyable demonstration of the capabilities of the Apollo to several prominent citizens who were present by invitation of Mr. Grunewald.

Mr. R. J. Danckert and family will spend the next two weeks in Northboro.

Miss Nora Grady of Springfield is visiting relatives on Lincoln street.

Miss Katie Ineham of Bleachery street, tick binder for Doherty Mattress Co., sails for England tomorrow on the Ivernia in company with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Curtis and daughter, Maude, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Curtis and children, will spend the next two weeks at Portland, East Hapewell and other points on the Maine coast.

Master Al Wells, son of E. C. Wells, is visiting his cousin, Louie Neff, in Nashua, N. H.

Miss Mary Gallagher of Chapel street has returned from her vacation spent with relatives in Rhode Island.

Charles Anderson, foreman at the J. C. Ayer Co. in Middle street, left this morning for a tour of the beaches on the north shore.

50,000 AT CONEY ISLAND.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1 Sunday was the biggest day in Coney Island's history according to expert counters. It is estimated that fully 500,000 persons went to the resort by trolley cars, trains and boats. The crowd was well handled.

BRITISH SHIP ASHORE.

LONDON, August 1.—Advices received from Montevideo say that the British ship Lauvina, Captain Kain, from Annapolis, N. S., May 3, for Rosario is ashore near Maldonado. Assistance has been sent to the stranded vessel.

STRANGE DISEASE

Physicians in Adams are Baffled

ADAMS, Mass., Aug. 1.—Several physicians of this place are baffled by a disease which appeared in the family of Patrick J. Courtney last week and from which one child, George, six years old, died today and another son, James, three years old, cannot recover. Mr. Courtney himself and his daughter Mollie, 20 years of age, are both ill, and while the doctors consider that the trouble is ptomaine poisoning, they are confused by the fact that the two boys first became ill last Tuesday while Mr. Courtney and the daughter were not seized until Saturday. There are two other children younger than Mollie who have not been affected in any way.

HOT IN BOSTON

SEVERAL PERSONS WERE OVERCOME BY HEAT.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Several persons were overcome by the heat here today. This afternoon the mercury stood at 90.

MAYOR HOWE

SAYS HE WILL RETURN TO LOWELL TONIGHT.

Mayor Howe sent a telegram to city hall today stating that he would return to Lowell, this evening. In his absence Acting Mayor Miskella signed the city pay rolls, despite Lawyer Fay's claim that he should not.

GOING TO EUROPE.

Sailing from Boston Tuesday, on the Cunard Line steamship Ivernia, for England, Ireland and Scotland are the following Lowell people booked through Murphy's steamship agency: Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Warren, Everett A. Warren, H. Raymond Warren, Miss Betsey Sharples, Mrs. Eliza Greenall, Miss Rose Ovington, Miss Rose A. Curley, Miss Hannah Sullivan, Miss Mary A. Sullivan, Mr. John McCallum, Miss Catherine Marsden, Mr. Joseph Flynn, Mr. Thomas Gray, Mr. Thomas Foudy, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas England, Mr. James McCallum, Mrs. Agnes Barrett, Miss Lillian C. Barrett, Miss Sabina McDermott, Miss Nellie O'Hara, Mrs. H. J. Nichols, Mr. Charles Graham, Mr. Ralph Cullinan, and Miss Eliza Kullum.

Andrew F. Roach and Michael Kelley will sail for Europe tomorrow. They were booked through O'Donnell's agency.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Am Sugar	129
A & T	78
B & O	84¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	51¼
Chi & Gt W	13⅞
C M & P	147
C R & P	22½
Con Gas	192¾
Del & Hud	160
Erie R R	24¾
Erie 1st	60¼
Manhat Con	150⅞
Mo Kan & Tex	17¾
Mo Kan & Tex pfd	40¼
Met St Ry	120
Mis Pac	92⅜
N Y Cen	119
N Y Ont & W	30½
Penn	120
Peoples' Gas	99⅝
Reading	52⅝
Reading pfd	83½
Reading 2d pfd	68¾
So Pac	49⅝
So Pac rights	2¼
Tenn Coal & Iron	46
Tex & Pac	25
Union Pac	96
Union Pac pfd	93⅝
U S Steel	12⅛
U S Steel pfd	61¼
Wabash	16⅝
Wabash pfd	35
W U Telegraph	88
U S Leather	7⅛
U S Leather pfd	83

BOSTON STOCKS

Adventure	87½
Amalgamated	52⅛
American Wool	11¼
American Wool pfd	76½
Am Tel & Tel	134½
Arcadian	1
Atlantic	9
Anaconda	18¼
Allouez	8⅞
B & Albany	250
B & Maine	164
Bingham	25
Calumet & Hecla	480
Centennial	21¼
Chicago Junction	141½
Chicago Junction pfd	122
Copper Range	55¾
Daly West	12½
Dom Coal	45
Dom Coal pfd	105
Dom Steel	9¼
Elevated	148⅝
Elm River	2⅛
Fitchburg pfd	137
Franklin	7
Mass	4¼
Mass Gas	39½
Mass Gas pfd	82¾
Mass Electric	18¼
Mass Electric pfd	69⅞
Mex [illegible]	9⅝
Michigan	4
Mohawk	43
Mont C & C	4
N E Tel	123½
N Y N H & H R R	189
[illegible]	61
Old Colony Mine	96⅞
Old Colony R R	205
Old Dominion	13¼
Shannon	6⅝
Royal	11
Tamarack	88
Parrott	24
Quincy	85
Santa Fe	1⅝
Trinity	7⅞
United States	21⅞
Utah	37⅝
U S Oil	10⅞
Winona	7⅝
Wolverine	78½
Western Tel	13¼
Western Tel pfd	91½
Victoria	3
West End	91¼
West End pfd	112
Wyandotte	66

FEAR UPRISING

Japanese Keep Close Watch in Korea

PARIS, Aug. 1.—According to trustworthy advices, the Japanese seriously fear an uprising in Korea, where the announcement that Japan intends to distribute the lands not actually cultivated among Japanese colonists has greatly incensed the natives. The Japanese garrisons, it is added, have been strengthened by thousands during the last few days.

BREACH OF PROMISE

SUIT ENTERED AGAINST PROPRIETOR OF AMERICAN HOUSE.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—A suit, alleging breach of promise of marriage, has been entered in the New York courts by Miss Corinne Jungers of that city against Allen C. Jones, proprietor of the American House, in the sum of $25,000. As Miss Jungers is not yet 20 years old, the suit has been brought in the name of her mother, Marie Jungers.

She alleges that Miss Jungers first met Mr. Jones in May, 1902, and that his attentions became very marked. About a year ago Miss Jungers visited him in Boston, and it is further alleged that he proposed to her at that time, and was accepted. In view of these facts, Miss Jungers says she informed her friends and relatives of her approaching marriage, but that Mr. Jones finally became less attentive, and on June 4 last married Miss Ruth A. Robbins.

Mr. Jones, when seen last evening, said that it was the first intimation that he had that a suit had been brought against him. "I can satisfactorily explain my position before the court," he continued, "if the case ever comes to trial. I know the young lady who has brought this suit, but decided to break off my acquaintance with her some time ago, for good and sufficient reasons. Since that time I have had several letters from lawyers in New York telling me that if I would call and see them, the matter could probably be settled up satisfactorily, and I have also had threats of a suit to be brought against me. To all of these I replied that they could go ahead and sue, and that I would explain my side of the case to the court. That is all I care to say about the matter."

ARMED MOB

SURROUNDS A SWAMP WHERE HIGHWAYMEN ARE HIDING.

PORTAGE, Pa., Aug. 1.—Fully 500 men surround Cedar swamp near Dunlo where the highwaymen who killed Driver Charles Hayes and dangerously wounded Paymaster Patrick Campbell on Saturday, are supposed to be in hiding, but up to noon today no effort had been made to penetrate the swamp. Paymaster Campbell was reported today to be resting easy.

NO MORE CALLERS

JUDGE PARKER HAS CALLED A HALT.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Until after the notification ceremonies on August 10, callers at Rosemount will be discouraged. Judge Parker is making few appointments. No one arrived on the forenoon trains and no political visitors are expected today. Judge Parker's morning routine included superintending the harvesting of a field of rye.

ANDRE'S LETTER

PICKED UP NORTH OF SPITZBERGEN.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Aug. 1.—Despatches received here report that a Norwegian whaler has found north of Spitzbergen a letter from Prof. Andre, dated 1898. The text of the letter is not disclosed.

Prof. Andre left Spitzbergen in a balloon July 11, 1897, with the intention of crossing the North pole. He has not been definitely heard from since, though a number of unfounded reports have been circulated in connection with the aeronaut.

McMILLAN WITHDRAWS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 1.—In a signed statement to the democratic voters of Tennessee, issued last night, former Governor Benton McMillan withdraws from the race for U. S. senator to succeed General Wm. B. Bate the incumbent. In explanation of his act, Mr. McMillan says:

"I take this course at this time because in certain counties that have heretofore acted favorably to me the opposition has gone so far as to nominate and threaten to nominate independent legislative tickets and I am anxious to remove any action which tends to party defeat."

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6 O'CLOCK

SAFE WAS ROBBED

Clerk Charged With Larceny of Money and Checks

Harry M. Freed, charged with breaking and entering and larceny in the Bell Clothing company's store in Merrimack street, was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court today and through his counsel, D. J. Donahue, pleaded not guilty and waived reading of the complaint. He was ordered in $400 for his appearance before the court on Thursday morning.

The government alleges that Freed had a duplicate key made with which he gained entrance to the store. Mr. Zimmer, the Middle street locksmith, has identified Freed and the key. He made it for Freed, he said, several days ago.

The complainant, Samuel W. Levy, manager of the Bell Clothing company, alleges that $151, several checks, a mileage book and a trip book were taken from the safe. The checks, mileage book and trip book were returned, by mail, to Mr. Levy.

The breaking, entering and larceny were committed Thursday evening.

Harry M. Freed, the defendant, claims to be a member of the Bell Clothing company. That claim, however, is denied, but the fact is admitted that his mother has an interest in the business.

Freed's father, who died about a year ago in New York, was a member of the Bell Clothing company and Harry M. Freed is the nephew of the present manager of the store, Samuel W. Levy. Fred has been hired as a salesman, by the company.

FUNERALS

TOLBY—The funeral of George A. Tolby, child of Franklin and Nellie, took place this morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of his parents, 3 Mission place, Wigginville, and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

POWERS—The funeral of Catherine Powers, child of Thomas and Mary, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, 1 Winslow's block in First street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

SECOR—The funeral of James Francis Secor, child of Frank and Ellen, took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the home of her parents, 65 Willie street and the interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director Charles H. Molloy.

McKENZIE—The funeral of Roderick McKenzie took place from his home, 953 Central street, yesterday afternoon, at 2.30. Services were held in the chapel at the Edson cemetery, at 3 o'clock, Rev. J. M. Craig, of the First Presbyterian church officiating. The bearers were Alexander Rule, William Farrell, John Plunkett, Frederick Poorr, Larry Stevens and Stuart Greig. Undertaker J. F. Weinbeck had charge of the funeral arrangements.

MARTIN—The funeral of Delia Martin took place from her home, 34 Cady street, yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. At 2.30 services were held at St. Peter's church, Rev. Hugh McDermond officiating. The bearers were Michael Broderick, Michael McGrath, John and Frank Green, Lawrence O'Day and James Gray. Burial was in St. Peter's cemetery, arrangements in charge of Undertaker Thomas J. McDermott.

PERRAULT—The funeral of Percy Perrault took place from the undertaking rooms of Undertaker Molloy in Market street, yesterday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. At 3.15 services were held in St. Peter's church, Rev. Hugh McDermed officiating. The bearers were Peter Malone, Sinclair Bradie, William McKinley and H. Bournet. Burial was in St. Peter's cemetery, the funeral arrangements managed by C. H. Molloy.

McMULLEN—The funeral of Norman A. McMullen was held Saturday afternoon from the home of his parents, in Billerica Centre. Rev. Mr. Evans was the officiating clergyman and burial was in the Edson cemetery, Undertakers C. M. Young & Co. in charge.

DICKIE—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella R. Dickie was held Saturday afternoon at her late residence, 56 Starbird street. Rev. J. M. Craig was the officiating clergyman and burial was in Pencham, Vt., Undertakers C. M. Young in charge.

SCOLLAN—The funeral of Margaret Scollan took place from the home of her parents, 4 Lowell place, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and it was largely attended. There were many floral offerings. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

PADIAN—The funeral of Margaret Padian took place from the home of her parents, 49 Elm street, yesterday afternoon at 2.30. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of C. H. Molloy.

RILEY—The funeral of Alice Riley took place from the undertaking rooms of Undertaker Peter H. Savage, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

GARREY—The funeral of Bridget Garrey took place from the rooms of Undertaker Molloy, yesterday afternoon at 4.30. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

August 11th is the date of the excursion to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

The Itch Fiend

That is Salt Rheum or Eczema,—one of the outward manifestations of scrofula.

It comes in itching, burning, oozing, drying, and scaling patches, on the face, head, hands, legs or body.

It cannot be cured by outward applications,—the blood must be rid of the impurity to which it is due.

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Has cured the most persistent and difficult cases. Accept no substitute for Hood's; no substitute acts like it.

GEN. KELLER DEAD

Russian Officer Killed in Battle by Japanese

MUKDEN, Aug. 1.—It is reported that Lieut.-General Count Keller has been killed east of Liao Yang.

REPORT CONFIRMED.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A despatch to a news agency from St. Petersburg confirms the report of the death of General Keller, saying he was killed by a fragment of a Japanese shell at the time he was opposing the Japanese advance along the railway near Haicheng.

Lieut.-General Count Keller at the opening of the war was in command of the second Siberian army division. He was 54 years of age and resigned the governorship of Ekaterinslaff in order to go to the front.

He sustained two reverses at the hands of the Japanese July 4 and 17, being repulsed in attacks on Motien pass. General Keller took part in the three campaigns of the Russo-Turkish war. He possessed cool judgment and was considered to be a fine strategist.

DEATHS

MORRIS—Charles E. Morris died at the home of his parents, Chas. E. and Selina Morris in Billerica Centre, yesterday, aged 1 year, 7 months, 15 days.

SANDERSON—William Sanderson, aged 52 years, died at his residence, 26 Bleachery street, Saturday. He leaves to mourn his loss a father and mother three brothers, Robert, Samuel and George, and one sister, Miss Hannah Sanderson.

HOLLAND—Mrs. Catherine I. Holland, widow of the late James B. Holland, died at Waterville, Me., Friday, aged 69 years, 10 months, 18 days. She was for 20 years housekeeper for Rev. J. L. Seward, D. D., formerly pastor of the Unitarian church of Lowell.

ASHWORTH—Mrs. Elizabeth Ashworth, aged 73 years, widow of the late Sager Ashworth, died Saturday, at her residence, 33 Rock street. She leaves two sons, Geo. L. and Albion S.; also two brothers and three sisters.

HARDMAN—George Hardman died yesterday at his home, 123 Agawam street. He leaves a widow, son, David B., and two daughters, Mrs. Warren A. Bishop and Mrs. C. A. Leybrand. The deceased was a vestryman of St. John's Episcopal church, and for many years a member of the church. He was a member of Manchester lodge, No. 12, A. F. A. M., of Coventry, R. I., and Landmark chapter, No. 10, of Warwick, R. I. He was also identified with Washington lodge, No. B. I. O. O. F., of River Point, R. I., and Howard encampment, No. 6, of the same place. He was for many years a member of the Machine Painters' Beneficial association.

FITZPATRICK—James Fitzpatrick, aged 62 years, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. McNeill, 16 Albion street. He is survived by his father, three sisters and two brothers.

BUTLER—Thomas Lee Butler, aged three months, child of John S., the well known conductor on the Boston & Northern railroad, died this morning at the home of his parents, 1582 Middlesex street.

PAIGE—Lucy A. Paige, wife of Elisha F. Paige died last night at the home in Billerica Centre, aged 55 years, 11 months. Besides her husband she is survived by one daughter, Fannie S. Paige.

BILLERICA

List of unclaimed letters at the post office Billerica for month ending July 31:

Geo. Buhan, Frank Bourlos, Mrs. J. D. Butters, Mrs. Nephen Conner, Frank R. Dow, C. H. Evans, Blanche Evans, Miss A. R. Fletcher, Miss Mary Griffin, Thomas F. Lynch, Millard F. Mackie, Charles H. Tucker, Beatrice Jeffcock, Aline Kelly, Mary L. Kelley, Margaret Miller, William Sanborn, Charlie H. Sayce 2, B. Scannell, G. G. Wilson.

INCUBATOR GRADUATES MEET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Graduates of the Infant Incubator have held a reunion at the Infant Incubator Institute at Coeriplaud. There were about forty present ranging in age from three months, the usual period allowed them in the incubators to three years. In the case of the latter there were three from Brooklyn, triplets, whose lives had been saved at the incubator exhibit during the Panama American exposition in Buffalo in 1901 and who are now as big and healthy as any youngsters of their age.

FIREWORKS CASE

Will be Heard by Committee This Week

BUT BILL CAN'T BE PAID YET

As it is Under an Attachment

The committee on accounts will probably be the only committee of the city council to meet this evening owing to the fact that it is vacation season in the city council, and the committee on accounts is the only one that must hold monthly meetings.

The hearing on the Fourth of July fireworks bill will take place at the next meeting in all probability in accordance with a vote passed at the last meeting of the committee. At that time Mayor Howe who awarded the contract and Mr. Luce the agent for the fireworks company which provided the display will appear before the committee and explain how the contract was awarded and Purchasing Agent Donnelly has also been asked to appear before the committee, the latter at the time of so voting being under the impression that the purchasing agent acted with the mayor in letting the contract.

Such was not the case, however, as the mayor awarded the contract without consulting Mr. Donnelly and the latter knows nothing about the manner in which they were bought. Mr. Donnelly simply took the contract after it had been awarded and had the city solicitor add a clause to it protecting the city from suits for damages in case of accident. That Mr. Donnelly's foresightedness has saved the city inconveniences if not money is evidenced by the fact that already an attachment has been placed on the bill in the city treasurer's office by counsel for a boy who was injured during the display by a flying rocket.

GIRL KIDNAPPED

SHE WAS DRAGGED INTO THE WOODS.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The mysterious disappearance of Annie Pico of Cedar street, Winchester, a 13-year-old Italian girl, who landed in America only three months ago, has been reported to the police. Her brother claims that she was set upon by three men and dragged into the woods near the Symmes farm, and has not been seen since.

The missing girl was employed, with perhaps 10 others of her nationality, on the Symmes farm. She is said to be the comeliest girl of her race in the vicinity of Boston.

On Friday night, when Annie left work and started for home with two girl companions, they went along a strip of woods. Three Italians approached from the opposite direction, and springing upon them, one man, said to be named "Billy," grabbed Annie about the waist and dragged her into a thicket. She screamed, but Billy pressed his hand over her mouth. Annie's companions ran back to the farm to give the alarm, and the other men went into the woods.

Chief McIntosh and Patrolman Hargrove, with Selectman Symmes, searched the woods for nearly five hours, but no trace of the girl or the men supposed to have kidnapped her could be found.

BADLY BATTERED

NOVA SCOTIA SHIP IN BAD CONDITION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The Southern Pacific company's steamer Proteus which arrived today from New Orleans reports having passed the Nova Scotia ship Kingscounty in a badly battered but not entirely helpless condition during the voyage. The Kingscounty had lost the fore and main top gallant masts, the main mast, head, mizzen royal mast and jib-boom. When seen by the Proteus, however, she was working along under her remaining sails, and as she had not been damaged she declined assistance. The Kingscounty was bound from Pensacola for Rio Janeiro and when sighted by the Proteus was about 75 miles off the Florida coast.

EX-GOV. PATTISON

DEMOCRATIC LEADER IN PENNSYLVANIA IS DEAD.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—Former Governor Robert E. Pattison, one of the democratic leaders of Pennsylvania died today at his country home at Overbrook, a suburb.

PROMINENT LAWYER DEAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Jos. H. Campbell, 73 years of age, formerly a lawyer of Louisville, Ky., and later an inventor of food-products, is dead at the home of his daughter in Mount Vernon. Mr. Campbell was born in Pennsylvania and was graduated from Washington and Jefferson college in 1852.

Mr. Campbell and S. R. Wilson of the department of agriculture worked together in developing food-products.

REV. FR. KERWIN PREACHED.

At the Sacred Heart church yesterday, high mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., and the sermon was delivered by Rev. Fr. Kerwin, O. M. I., a former altar boy of this church and whose parents still reside in the parish. The text of his discourse was "I Believe in One Catholic and Apostolic Church," and was delivered in an eloquent and instructive manner.

FEET BURNED.

Aftemoss Paros, residing at 98 Fenwick street and employed at the Lowell Machine shop while at work this morning met with a painful accident. He was pouring hot metal from a ladle when the metal was spilled over both his feet. He was removed in the ambulance to the Lowell hospital where his feet were dressed.

SOCIALIST CAUCUSES.

BOSTON, Aug. 1—The socialists state committee has sent out its call for state caucuses to be held September 26 and 27. The caucuses on the 26th will be held in cities and towns which have not accepted the Lace joint caucus law, and on the 27th at all other places. The state convention will be held in Paine Memorial Hall, Boston, October 3.

CHARLES McCARTHY, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE LAWN PARTY.

BIG LAWN PARTY

AND ATHLETIC MEET IN AID OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The members of the Quality Hill track team defeated an aggregation of athletes of this city and Dracut going under the name of Collinsville, at Collinsville Saturday afternoon, the affair being held in conjunction with the annual lawn party of St. Mary's church in that village. Owing to the fact that six of the Quality Hill team were absent, that team had to work exceptionally hard in order to win. Mozley, Lew and Dodge of the victorious team, however, did fine work, while Rynne, Burke and Campbell excelled for the vanquished team.

The summary of the events was as follows:

One mile—Won by Mozley, (Q. H.); Shafter, (Q. H.) second.

100 yard dash Won by Lew (Q. H.); Brick, (C.), second; Dodge, (Q. H.), third.

400 yard run Won by Dodge, (Q. H.); Hugh Gorman, (C), second; Campbell (C.), third.

½ mile—Won by Mozley, (Q. H.); Shafter, (Q. H.) second; Patrick Gorman, (C.) third.

Running high jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Dodge, (Q. H.) second.

Running broad jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Fogg, (Q. H.) third.

Standing high jump—Won by Rynne, (C.); Dodge, (Q. H.) second.

Hop, step and jump—Won by Burke, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Campbell, (C.) third.

Pole vault—Fogg of Quality Hill and Rynne of the Collinsville team tied for first. The points were divided, each taking 4½.

Shot put—Won by McDonald, (C.); Lew, (Q. H.) second; Rynne, (C.) third.

Total score—Quality Hill 49½, Collinsville, 40½.

After the track events the open events were pulled off, the 100 yards dash being especially interesting, Rynne and Lew fighting for the honors, the former winning by inches. The half mile open was won by Harry Mozley. The 100 yards dash for boys was won by Leo McCarthy and a second race of the same kind was won by Alex Harvey.

During the evening dancing was enjoyed by the younger element, and the various tables, which were presided over by a number of young men and women, did a thriving business.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

Great Interest in "Ho for the Beach"

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the Lowell Branch of the United Irish League was held last evening at the headquarters of the organization in Barristers' hall. Richard J. Lyons presided. Reports were received from the picnic committee giving assurance that the outing would be a success.

It was stated by Chairman Michael Lee of the picnic committee that the league had made arrangements to have its headquarters during Thursday next—the day of the picnic at the Hotel Pleasanton, Revere beach.

The American and Irish flags will be put out in honor of the occasion and a specially prepared shore dinner will be provided for about 200 members of the party.

It was also reported at last night's meeting that the national secretary, John O'Callaghan, and other members of the central branch will be guests of the league at the "Ho, for the Beach" picnic.

It was reported that the electric railroad officials could not handle more than one big excursion or picnic on the same day and in consequence the announcement that if rain should interfere with McManus picnic on Wednesday it would be postponed till the next day, is a mistake. Superintendent Lees states that if the children's picnic be postponed from Wednesday it must go over till Friday. The "Ho! for the Beach" will, therefore, be the only large picnic from Lowell on Thursday next.

The free tickets for the beach shows will be distributed to the passengers holding round trip tickets by General Manager Lee. It was announced that as many as possible should secure tickets by Wednesday night in order to avoid the rush Thursday morning. The cars will leave the square at 7 and the party should be on hand ten minutes earlier.

The members of the league were reminded that their presence was desired at the lawn party to be held tomorrow night at the premises of Mrs. Arthur Livesey, 27 Anderson street.

Miss Hanan sang two selections which were warmly applauded.

Old Orchard is a beautiful resort for a day's outing. The round trip rate is $1.50 via the Boston & Maine railroad on August 11th.

BOOTT MILLS

ARE CLOSED FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST.

In accordance with the notices posted in the different departments last week the Boott mills closed today and will not reopen until the first of September.

AN OLD RESIDENT

Mrs. Sally B. Webster Aged 93, Dead

Mrs. Sally B. Webster, one of Dracut's oldest residents passed away last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin P. Fox, on Marsh Hill. The deceased was 93 years, six months and four days old at the time of her death. She was a native of Manchester, N. H., and lived for many years in Pelham, N. H., before moving to the home of her daughter in Dracut 14 years ago. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Fox and Miss Sarah J. Webster, one brother, John H. Baker of Hudson, N. H., and one sister, Julia A. Baker of Manchester, N. H.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Died, July 31, at Dracut, Mrs. Sally B. Webster, aged 93 years, six months and four days. Funeral will take place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin P. Fox, Marsh Hill, Dracut, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SIXTY-ONE ALARMS

RESPONDED TO BY FIRE DEPARTMENT IN JULY.

The local firemen responded to 61 alarms during the month of July just ended. Fifteen of this number were from the automatic box at the Putnam & Son clothing store in Central street during the early part of the month, caused by the automatic alarm being out of order. For several days, during all hours of the day and night the firemen from the protective company were summoned to the store, only to find that there was no fire.

The only real serious fire during the month was on the 17th of the month when an alarm from box 371 was pulled in for a fire in the house of Mrs. William F. Courtney, in Middlesex street, at the city line.

During the month there were 19 bell alarms, 15 automatic, 17 telephone and 10 stills, as follows:

July 2, two automatics and box 35; 5, two stills, two telephones and three automatics; 4, four automatics, one still, one telephone and boxes 38, 37 and 16; 5, two automatics, a telephone and box 19; 6, box 131 and two automatics; 9, two telephones, a still and an automatic; 10, telephone and automatic; 12, telephone; 13, telephone; 14, telephone; 15, box 21; 16, three telephones; 17, box 371, still and telephone; 18, boxes 16 and 147; 19, still; 20, box 43 and two stills; 21, boxes 6, 35, 53 and 37 and a telephone; 22, box 46 and a still; 30, box 48 and a telephone; 31, box 115 and a telephone.

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60,000 ARE IDLE

Collieries in Schuykill Region Closed

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 1.—The shut-down at the collieries in the Schuykill region today was complete with the exception of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company's collieries in the Panther Creek valley.

All the individual operations along the Reading system were compelled to shut down by reason of the fact that no cars will be furnished until August 8. About 60,000 men in this county are idle as the result of the suspension.

CITY OF ROCKLAND

ROCKLAND, Me., Aug. 1—Temporary repairs which will continue about five days were begun today on the steamer City of Rockland which was floated and beached at Five Kilns yesterday. Three divers, Abbott Baker of Vineyard Haven and Brooks and Sullivan of Boston, were working on the hull and bottom. The machinery will be examined and possibly if found to be in working order the steamer will proceed to Boston under her own steam. She will be accompanied by at least one tug however, and will be equipped with two pumps.

LAMED FOR LIFE

BEAR ATTACKED SEVEN YEAR OLD BOY.

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 1—Several hundred persons saw a brown bear attempting to eat seven-year-old Robert Mayer at the bear pit in Cadwallader Park yesterday. The little fellow had ventured near the cage and was caught and held by the beast putting its claws through the bars of the cage. The animal tore off the shoe off his right foot and had sunk his teeth in his leg before the chief of the park guard rescued the lad. The chief used his club on the animal and broke its hold on the boy. The little fellow was hurried to the hospital where his injuries were found to be so severe that he will be lamed in all probability for life.

FEMALE TRAMP

MARY HAYDEN ADMITS SHE IS A HOBO.

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 1—Mary Hayden, apparently 30 years old, poorly dressed and penniless, was arrested last night by an officer at the freight yard of the Consolidated railroad for vagrancy. When taken to the police station, Mary failed to tell a connected story of her wandering. Her occupation was "nothing" and she failed to give any particular address.

At the depot she said that she lost what little money she had by betting on the races last week in New York and jumped a freight in the hopes of getting to Boston, where she has friends. She refused to give their names, however, and doesn't seem to mind her arrest. She says the ride from New York was all right, although the brakeman put her off several times. They finally took pity on her and let her ride the last few miles in the caboose.

She claims to have made the ride between New York and Boston several times on freight trains, and freely admits that she is a female tramp.

TWO LITTLE CURLS

Policeman Found Them in Lawrence Street

Two golden curls are at the police station awaiting an owner. They were picked up by Officer Charles Hill in Lawrence street, Sunday morning. The curls were wrapped in coarse paper. One curl is lighter than the other and pinned to the paper in which they are contained is the following note: "Chester and Lester Worden's curls, cut off when they were two years old—1889."

FELL FROM CAR

MAN WAS SERIOUSLY INJURED AT MEDFORD.

MEDFORD, Aug. 1.—An unknown man, apparently a Swede, fell from the Boston & Northern street railway car due at Medford at 10.30 yesterday morning and was severely injured.

He was standing on the platform of the car when his hat blew off near Franklin avenue, just above the city farm. Without warning for the car to stop, he jumped, facing to the rear.

He was picked up in a semiconscious condition and removed to the Medford police station in the patrol wagon. A physician was called and the injured man was later removed to the Massachusetts general hospital.

Only a watch and a small mirror were found upon him. The conductor was of the opinion that the man boarded the car in the vicinity of North Woburn or Wilmington, and had a recollection of changing a $1 bill for his fare. No money, however, was found in his pockets.

He is described as about 25 to 28 years old, 5 feet 9 inches in height, weighing about 170 pounds, of muscular build, apparently a farmer or laborer. He wore a suit of dark clothes. His light hair, blue eyes and round features gave the impression that he was a Swede.

BROKE RECORD

FLANAGAN THREW THE HAMMER 173 FEET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—In the presence of fully 1000 spectators who attended the Gaelic athletic tournament for the benefit of the Christian training college at Clontarf, Dublin, Ire., which was held at Celtic park, Long Island City, yesterday, John J. Flanagan of the Greater New York Irish athletic association, increased the world's 16-pound hammer throwing record from 171 feet 9 inches to 173 feet. He also threw the 56-pound weight a distance of 38 feet 4 inches, which is within five inches of his world's record with that weight.

These two performances were recorded in the all-around weight-throwing contest, which also included throwing the discus and putting the 16-pound shot. The points scored were five for first three for second and one for third place in each of the four events, and Flanagan won with a total of 14 points.

"THREE FRIENDS" OUTING.

The "Three Friends" held a picnic at Mount Nebo, Dracut, Saturday, that was attended by about 200 persons. There was a fine list of sports including a ball game between the Excelsiors and the Young Reds which the latter won 12 to 3.

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10 with 1 Pkg. 10c Mince.
10 with 1 pkg. Pancake flour.
8 with 1 pkg 14c Force.
5 with 1 pkg. 10c Presto.
20 with 1 lb. 20c and 35c Coffee
10 with 1 bottle 10c Blue.
10 with 1 can 12c Peas.
10 with 1 can 12c Tomatoes.
10 with 1 pkg. 10c Corn Starch.
20 with 1 pkg. 14c Norka Oats.
20 with 1 pkg. Malted Oats.

BEEF IS CHEAPER

Best Smoked Shoulders 10c Lb.
Good Eggs 20c Doz.
Large New Potatoes 20 and 25c Peck
Best Round Steak 15c Lb.
Best Rump and Sirloin 15c to 22c Lb.
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Bread Flour 75c Bag
Challenge Milk 3 cans 25c

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LATEST

THE STRIKE BROKEN

Claim of Chicago Packers Disputed by Strikers

CHICAGO, Aug. 1—Declaring the strike broken and that the working force had been recruited by more than 1,000 men and women, many of whom had deserted the union cause, the packers today began the week's operations with the largest receipts of livestock that have reached the stock yards since July 12, when the strike began. There were 915 cars carrying 25,-600 cattle, 35,000 hogs and 17,000 sheep in the day's shipments from the west and with this supply the killing gangs in the big plants were busily occupied.

Swift and company declared that nearly all their old millwrights and car workers had returned to work, and further asserted that the firm never intends to take back striking teamsters or barn men, the claim being made that the packers had learned to do without wagons here. All shipments to Chicago branches will be made by railroad. Retailers will take their wagons to the branches for purchases.

Among the toilers who reached the stock yards today were one hundred colored women who were taken to Libby, McNeil and Libbys where they will do scrub work in place of the women who went on strike.

Assertions that the strike is broken were scouted by the strikers as being manifestly absurd.

READY TO STRIKE

STATEMENT ISSUED BY LIVE STOCK HANDLERS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—The position of the live stock handlers who struck at the stock yards in sympathy with the packing house employees and afterwards returned to their duties handling stock for the packing companies involved in the strike as well as for the independent plants, has been made plain by the official statement that their action was taken in obedience to their union officers. It is declared that they stand ready to strike again if it appears necessary. A report that the fire insurance underwriters have issued an order cancelling policies on packing establishments on account of the strike and because of the housing of so many men in the buildings has been positively denied by the insurance companies representatives.

dicting that the next few hours will dicted that the next few hours will witness important developments in the breaking up of the strikes. Strong efforts it is said have been made by representatives of the packers to induce desertions from the ranks of the strikers and the claim is made that the efforts are meeting with much success.

MILLS ARE CLOSED

No Attempt to Resume Work in Fall River

FALL RIVER, Aug. 1—The rumors current yesterday but officially denied that two of the cotton mills in this city would make an attempt to operate their machinery today were found to be false when the usual opening time came this morning, as not a mill involved in the strike was opened. No developments in the great strike were expected today and consequently the strikers lay abed late, leaving the streets with a deserted appearance during the early hours of the day. A meeting of the textile council will be held tomorrow when plans for the maintenance of the strike will be discussed.

UNION OFFICIALS

EXPECT SUPPORT OF FEDERATION OF LABOR.

FALL RIVER, Aug. 1—President Golden and Secretary Hibbert of the United Textile workers returned this morning from their trip to Washington for the purpose of securing the support of the American Federation of labor. While they were not successful in seeing President Gompers, who was in Philadelphia, they were given every assurance, by Secretary Morrison, of the moral and financial support of the A. F. L. and felt highly satisfied with the result of their trip.

The spinners union held a general meeting this morning and listened to the treasurer's weekly report. It was announced that strike contributions of $508.35 exclusive of the funds received by collectors have been made and relief had been given in a number of cases of distribution.

Rev. Renetts C. Miller, pastor of the Summerfield M. E. church, announces that on account of the strike he will forego his usual vacation this year.

Contributions for the strikers continue to come in.

ASPHALT CASE

Official Account of the Seizure

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1—The first official account of the action of the Venezuelan government in respect to the seizure of the properties of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company have come to the state department in a cablegram from Minister Bowen at Caracas. Mr. Bowen said that suit was brought by the Venezuelan government against the Asphalt company on the ground that it had failed to carry out certain portions of its concessions, especially those requiring it to dig canals, dredge channels in the rivers and export other produce than asphalt. Because of the company's failure in these matters, the Venezuelan government asked the court to order an embargo corresponding to the ordinary American injunction and to appoint a custodian or receiver. The court granted this application, laid the embargo and appointed A. H. Carner as custodian. He sailed on a Venezuelan warship for the nearest port to the Asphalt lakes before notice was issued on the company. Minister Bowen explains that while the statutes of Venezuela embargo proceedings such as in the case of leases, this would scarcely apply to the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company property which are held under concessions. The custodian, Mr. Carner seized these properties on the 25th ultimo and remains in possession. Prof. John Bassett Moore and John Lindsey of New York as attorneys representing the New York and Bermudez company called at the state department today and had a long conference with acting Secretary Loomis and Solicitor Penfield in regard to the protection of the company's interests against such arbitratory proceedings as those that have taken place. They confirmed the press report from Port of Spain to the effect that the British minister at Caracas had protested against the seizure of the asphalt lake at Guanaco. It was explained that there is a proper double interest in this matter for while New York and Bermudez company is an American corporation and most of its stock is owned here, the bonds of the company are held to the extent of about a million dollars in England, giving the British government the right to intervene to protect its citizens' interests. Mr. Bowen has already been authorized by the state department to protest against the retention of the property of the Asphalt company under the court's orders. As the state department is anxious to secure further information as to the complexities of Venezuelan law in this case it probably will await the mails before moving further in the case.

GIRL DROWNED

LOST HER LIFE WHILE IN BATHING.

WOODMONT, Conn., Aug. 1—Miss Grace Sherwood, aged 16, daughter of A. F. Sherwood, a prominent citizen of Waterbury was drowned today while swimming. She was visiting at the summer home of Elliot H. Morse, treasurer of the Connecticut Savings bank of New Haven.

NINETEEN STATES

REPRESENTED AT BERNE, SWITZERLAND.

BERNE, Switzerland, Aug. 1.—Nineteen states, including the United States were represented at the International conference on industrial property which opened here today. The conference will discuss the unification and simplification of regulations relating to industrial property in different countries. P. G. L. Webb, chief clerk of the patent office at Washington represents the United States.

GEORGE GARDNER

WILL GET BACK IN THE GAME IN THE FALL.

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 1—George Gardner, with his manager, Jack Curley, is still in this city, where Gardner is matched to fight Jim Jeffords. Gardner has not been himself pugilistically speaking, for some time, and it is here where the ex-lightweight champion hopes to rejuvenate himself for a big campaign next fall, when he hopes to go out after the best in the business.

Gardner likes the climate here and is working hard to regain his old time form. This he says he is fast doing and thinks he will have little trouble in knocking out the big fellow Jeffords.

ENTERTAINED BY FRIENDS.

Mrs. Andrew and Master Raymond Bray and Mrs. Josephine Bucklin of Pawtucket, R. I., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lang of 86 High street the past week were entertained last evening by their friends. There were piano solos by Mrs. Josephine Bucklin, Miss Margaret and Miss Winnifred Flanegan; song, Mrs. Bray; violin solo, Mrs. Neland; song, Raymond Bray; song, Mrs. Fanny Bidwelle.

RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

Continued.

JAPANESE LANDING NEAR YIENKOW

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—The emperor today received the following despatch, dated July 31, from General Kuropatkin:

"Three Japanese armies have renewed offensive operations on our southern front. Our rear guard made an obstinate defence until the approach of superior forces of the enemy and then gradually retired in the direction of Haicheng. A detachment near Simoucheng, 15 miles southeast of Haicheng, successfully withstood the enemy until the afternoon.

"The attack was directed against our right flank which from its position at Kimmia pass inflicted great losses on the Japanese.

"The efforts of the Takushan army and Gen. Oku's army today are being mainly directed to cutting our communications between Simoucheng and Haicheng, their operations starting from a line traversing Yanshukan, Tapuntze and Lianhantz.

"On our eastern front the Japanese began the offensive this morning against our Ikhavnen position, the enemy's main concentration being against its right flank, which was turned.

"The enemy is also acting on the offensive between Liao Yang and Saimatsza (almost due north of Fengwang Cheng) against our troops posted at Hontsiatze (25 miles from Liao Yang.)

"Intelligence has been received of a considerable number of Japanese landing off Yienkow under the cover of several warships."

JAPANESE RETREATED FROM SIMOUCHENG

LIAO YANG, Saturday, July 30—(Delayed in transmission.)—Artillery firing occurred at Simoucheng yesterday. It is reported that the Japanese retired. Trains are running half way between Haicheng and Tatchekiao. The reports of skirmish fighting along all parts of the front are confirmed.

SITUATION AT FRONT REGARDED AS CRITICAL

ST. PETERSBURG, August 1, 3.55 a. m.—Although public attention has been distracted from the events of the war during the past week, first because of the fear of international complications and second because of the assassination of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve, the situation at the front is regarded as critical.

The enveloping movement of the three Japanese armies of Generals Kuroki, Nodzu and Oku around Gen. Kuropatkin's position appears to be almost complete, and the extended line of the Japanese seems to be the only drawback to concerted action. It is realized here that the Russian general must now either fight or withdraw the whole army northward. He is being closely pressed at Haicheng. At that place Gen. Kuroki's northern column makes it extremely dangerous to remain there, because, while holding the position to give battle against the Japanese, whose advance is notoriously always slow and careful, Gen. Kuroki might push through and cut his railway communications to Liaoyang.

While nothing definite is known, there are some unofficial indications that matters are rapidly maturing for either a battle or a retreat. For instance, the refusal to accept further press telegrams at Haicheng is shown by the fact that one of the correspondents of the Associated Press had to ride through to Mukden to file an account of the Tatchekiao fight. This might be construed either that preparations are making for a retirement or that the wires are very crowded, incident to a concentration at Haicheng or Liaocheng or Liaoyang.

A few days are expected to determine which course Gen. Kuropatkin has elected to pursue.

There is no inclination here to doubt that there may have been pretty severe fighting at the outer portions of Port Arthur, possibly accompanied by a bombardment from the sea, but it is not believed that the Japanese are yet ready to storm the fortress. Rear Admiral Withoft, in command of the naval forces at Port Arthur is relied on to put to sea after the condition of the fortress becomes desperate. While no definite information is obtainable, the report that the fortress is experiencing a shortness of ammunition is considered by the public as the most disquieting feature of the situation there.

The Vladivostok squadron is expected back in port today or tomorrow.

The indications are that the Baltic squadron is on the eve of an important movement. Nothing regarding this can be ascertained officially but many of the officers already hav bade farewell to friends and families and are holding themselves ready for instant service. The emperor had arranged to inspect the squadron but his plan was given up owing to the assassination of Minister of the Interior Von Plehve.

RUSSIAN LOSSES NOT YET REPORTED

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—A further despatch from Gen. Kuropatkin to the emperor dated today, says:

"All our positions were retained at Simoucheng when the fighting ceased at 8 p. m. July 31 but I have not yet received reports from operations on our extreme right flank.

"We retained all our positions held by our eastern force at Yanze pass. General Keller, commanding, had chosen this as the point from which to watch the fight. A battery near him was exposed to heavier fire than any other and he was mortally wounded at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He died 20 minutes later."

General Kuropatkin also reported the retirement of the Russian van-guard on the south front a short distance in the direction of Badeleng. After determined fighting near the village of Synchengtze the Japanese apparently concentrated considerable forces on the Samatsa side of Liao Yang. The Russian losses in the fighting on July 31 have not yet been reported but the Russians hold their positions.

SHELL BURST NEAR COUNT KELLER

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—The report of Lieutenant General Count Kellers death is confirmed.

He was killed July 29 while repelling the attack of General Kuroki's army on the Yanze pass, 30 miles east of Liao Yang. The general was standing near a battery which was subjected to a terrific fire when a shell burst close to him and he fell, mortally wounded, dying 20 minutes later. Before he expired, General Keller had the satisfaction of knowing that the Japanese attack had been repelled.

General Keller was the first high Russian military commander to lose his life in this war. He resigned the high and lucrative post of governor of Ekaterinoslaff to go to the front and exchanged with General Zazaslitch, who may now resume the command of the first Siberian army corps.

The loss of General Keller is deeply felt in court circles. He was a personal favorite of the emperor. His sister, Countess Kleinmichel, is one of the leaders of St. Petersburg society.

RUSSIAN TROOPS HOLDING THEIR OWN

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1.—Preparations have been completed for the departure, under the command of Rear Admiral Enquist, of the cruiser Division of the second Russian Pacific squadron, now lying off Cronstadt. The warships will weigh anchor and put to sea under sealed orders within three days while it is also believed the auxiliary cruisers Don and Ural, which probably are the vessels reported as passing Copenhagen with two torpedo boats, will be followed at once by other converted merchantmen. This time the admiralty has resolved that there shall be no question of the character of the warships engaged in stopping contraband. The Don and the Ural will replace the St. Petersburg and Smolensk, which will come home and be recommissioned.

A current story of an attempt to blow up a building in the Neva yards by a man in a boat is untrue. It is only a distorted version feature of M. Plehve's assassin's accomplice, of which the true account was cabled from here July 29.

The suggestion of M. Souverin, editor of the Novoe Vremya of the establishment of a responsible cabinet is creating much popular comment. Great significance attaches to the freedom with which the newspapers are discussing the matter. The cry has been taken up by the reactionary Prince Meschtchersky, editor of the Grazhdanin, who argues that a cabinet has become necessary. M. Souverin this morning refers to the charge in a signed article pointing out the evils of the present system and saying that the rivalry between the ministers is causing chaos in the public service, each pulling its own way, secure from criticism under the cloak of personal irresponsibility.

AMERICAN TRUSTS BLAMED FOR WAR

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1, 12.55 p. m.—M. Menshokoff the well known writer, who formerly accused the Jews of responsibility for promoting the present war, now charges "the gigantic American trusts, anxious to find new fields for exploitation in Asia," with the main responsibility.

With the view of promoting shipbuilding the government has promised to loan money to purchasers of Russian built merchantmen. The details of the new Russo-German commercial treaty are carefully guarded and will not be promulgated although it seems certain that Russia has conceded greatly against Russian cereals which are even said to be double. Some of the papers express satisfaction saying this is better than uncertainty.

It is not believed here that the German agrarians will succeed in having the new tariff enforced before January, 1906. The Novoe Vremya, today devotes an editorial to praising the German captain of the Portland and Asiatic liner Arabia, seized by the Russian Vladivostok squadron, for protesting against carrying contraband when he discovered what the nature of his cargo was to be.

Discussing the case of the British steamer Knight Commander (sunk by the Vladivostok squadron off Izu) the Novoe Vremya points to the action of the Americans in the war of 1812 in sinking English ships and also to some alleged history of the civil war, when, the paper says, over a hundred blockade runners were sunk. The Novoe Vremya concluded: "Before lodging the complaints one well wishers are preparing, it would be well for them to look up what they did themselves."

On the other hand, most of the other papers seem to have no desire to arouse an acrimonious discussion and are abstaining entirely from criminations.

RUSSIAN TROOPS HOLDING THEIR OWM

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1, 4.25 p. m. The latest reports from the scene of the battle are to the effect that the Russians up to last night successfully repulsed the Japanese attacks against Simoucheng.

IMPORTANT BATTLE EXPECTED SOON

LIAO YANG, Saturday, July 30. (Delayed in transmission) A Japanese officer who had been taken prisoner and a hundred wounded and disabled Russians have arrived here from the east where it is reported the Russians attempted to cut the Japanese column marching toward Mukden.

The Russians have taken very few prisoners so far, probably because of their having fallen back from the battlefield in each engagement, leaving the Japanese in possession of the spoils. A train bearing wounded Russians has arrived from the south, where it is reported there is continued fighting east and south of Haicheng.

Events of most important consequence are now expected to occur east of Liao Yang.

SOLDIERS SING DURING BATTLE

HAICHENG, Aug. 1. The Japanese on Sunday attacked the heights of Kang Wo pass, the right of the Russian position at Simoucheng. Under cover of their artillery the Japanese infantry charged, but the Russian guns drove them back in confusion and silenced two of their batteries. The Russian losses were slight.

At Haicheng and Tatchekiao the same day there was a long distance artillery duel which had little effect. A shell burst over a Russian gun killing two and wounding 11 gunners.

On Saturday night the Japanese made a desperate assault on Kang Wa heights with the bayonet and a hand-to-hand fight ensued but the Japanese were repulsed fleeing down the hill in confusion. The Japanese are said to have employed their customary trick of advancing and shouting in Russian "Don't fire, we are friends." The Japanese renewed the attack at daylight yesterday, training all their guns on Kang Wa heights. By 6 o'clock the fight had developed along the whole front of 15 miles and was especially hot against General Mistichenko. The Russian artillery did magnificently, several times forcing the Japanese batteries to shift their positions. The Russians are holding all their positions at the hour when this despatch is sent from Haicheng.

The heat is almost unbearable and is trying to the fighting men but even while marching under the blazing sun and weighted down by accoutrements and ammunition, often without food or drink all day the men try to be cheerful and sing songs while grim work is in progress.

MADE NO DEMAND

Germany Has Not Sent Ultimatum to Venezuela

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—The foreign office here denies the report from Caracas that the German minister has presented an ultimatum to the Venezuelan government demanding the immediate payment of the interest on the indemnity stipulated in the protocol signed by H. W. Bowen representing Venezuela in February, 1903, under penalty of the withdrawal of the German minister on Aug. 1.

STRANGE PHENOMENOM

VESSEL AND CREW HAD FIERY COATING.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—The British ship Mohican while making for the Delaware breakwater has encountered a strange phenomenon. A cloud of phosphoric enveloped the vessel magnetizing everything on board. Capt. Urquhart says the vessel and crew had a fiery coating. "When the sailors saw it," said the captain, "they rushed to the needle and it was flying around like an electric fan. I ordered several of the crew to move some iron chains that were lying on the deck thinking to distract their attention. The sailors could not budge the chains, although they did not weigh more than 75 pounds each.

"Everything was magnetized and chains, bolts, spikes and bars were as tight on the deck as if they had been riveted there. The cloud was so dense that it was impossible for the vessel to proceed. I could not see beyond the decks. It appeared as if the whole world was a mass of glowing fire. The sailors fell on the decks and prayer. Suddenly the cloud began to lift. The phosphorescent glow on the ship and the crew began to fade. In a few minutes the cloud passed over the vessel and we saw it moving off over the sea."

CAPT. FOURNIER

IN COMMAND OF THE MOORISH POLICE.

PARIS, Aug. 1.—The sultan of Morocco in accord with the French government has appointed Captain Fournier, of the French army to command the Moorish police in the Tangier district.

EMPEROR'S GUARD

HAS BEEN TRIPLED SINCE THE ASSASSINATION OF VON PLEHVE.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 1—While the emperor's legions are fighting desperately at the front his majesty today attended the consecration of the new church of St. Zeraphim at Old Peterhof. The new shore batteries at Oranienbaum below Peterhof have been completed. Two tiers of nine inch guns emplaced in these batteries command the south shore of the gulf of Finland beyond the radius of the fire of the Cronstadt forts.

In spite of the fact that the police say that the plot that resulted in the assassination of Interior minister Von Plehve, distinctly placed the emperor as "uninvolved" many extra precautions have been taken to ensure his majesty's safety. His personal guard has been tripled.

BANK HOLIDAY

CELEBRATED THROUGHOUT THE UNITED KINGDOM.

LONDON, Aug. 1. The bank holiday was celebrated today throughout the United Kingdom. In London none of the government offices were open and here and in every other city the banks, stock exchanges and business houses were closed. Brilliant weather prevailed and in consequence the river and seaside resorts were crowded. At Cowes, Isle of Wight, King Edward, Queen Alexandria, and a large assembly of fashionable people attended the opening of regatta week. The weather was fine but the wind was light, only enough to flutter the innumerable burgees flying from the yachts which crowded the roadstead. The first race was a handicap for yachts over 100 tons, in which Emperor William's Meteor II and the Ingomar (owned by Morton F. Plant of New York) competed.

PERSONALS

Mr. Howard Hill of Chicago, representative of the Apollo piano player, was in Lowell last week as the guest of Louis Granewald, Jr., whose music emporium is at 32 Central street. During his stay Mr. Hill gave an enjoyable demonstration of the capabilities of the Apollo to several prominent citizens who were present by invitation of Mr. Granewald.

Mr. R. J. Brockert and family will spend the next two weeks in Northboro.

Miss Nora Grady of Springfield is visiting relatives on Linden street.

Miss Katie Ingham of Bleachery street, tick binder for Doherty Mattress Co., sails for England tomorrow on the Ivernia in company with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Curtis and daughter Maude and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Curtis and children, will spend the next two weeks at Portland, East Harpswell and other points on the Maine coast.

Master Al Wells, son of E. C. Wells, is visiting his cousin, Louis Nett, in Nashua, N. H.

Miss Mary Gallagher of Chapel street has returned from her vacation spent with relatives in Rhode Island.

Charles Anderson, foreman at the J. C. Ayer Co. in Middle street, left this morning for a tour of the beaches on the north shore.

100,000 AT CONEY ISLAND.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1. Sunday was the biggest day in Coney Island's history according to expert counters. It is estimated that fully 100,000 persons went to the resort by trolley cars, trains and boats. The crowd was well handled.

BRITISH SHIP ASHORE.

LONDON, August 1. Advices received from Montevideo say that the British ship Louvina, Captain Kom, from Annapolis, N. S., May 3, for Rosario is ashore near Maldonado. Assistance has been sent to the stranded vessel.

STRANGE DISEASE

Physicians in Adams are Baffled

ADAMS, Mass., Aug. 1.—Several physicians of this place are baffled by a disease which appeared in the family of Patrick J. Courtney last week and from which one child, George, six years old, died today and another son, James, three years old, cannot recover. Mr. Courtney himself and his daughter Mollie, 20 years of age, are both ill, and while the doctors consider that the trouble is ptomaine poisoning, they are confused by the fact that the two boys first became ill last Tuesday while Mr. Courtney and the daughter were not seized until Saturday. There are two other children younger than Mollie who have not been affected in any way.

HOT IN BOSTON

SEVERAL PERSONS WERE OVERCOME BY HEAT.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Several persons were overcome by the heat here today. This afternoon the mercury stood at 90.

MAYOR HOWE

SAYS HE WILL RETURN TO LOWELL TONIGHT.

Mayor Howe sent a telegram to city hall today stating that he would return to Lowell this evening. In his absence Acting Mayor Miskella signed the city pay rolls, despite Lawyer Fay's claim that he should not.

GOING TO EUROPE.

Sailing from Boston Tuesday, on the Cunard Line steamship Ivernia, for England, Ireland and Scotland are the following Lowell people booked through Murphy's steamship agency: Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Warren, Everett A. Warren, H. Raymond Warren, Miss Betsey Sharples, Mrs. Eliza Greenall, Miss Rose Ovington, Miss Rose A. Curley, Miss Hannah Sullivan, Miss Mary A. Sullivan, Mr. John McCallum, Miss Catherine Marsden, Mr. Joseph Flynn, Mr. Thomas Gray, Mr. Thomas Foudy, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas England, Mr. James McCallum, Mrs. Agnes Barrett, Miss Lillian C. Barrett, Miss Sabina McDermott, Miss Nellie O'Hara, Mrs. H. J. Nichols, Mr. Charles Graham, Mr. Ralph Cullman, and Miss Eliza Kullum.

Andrew F. Roach and Michael Kelley will sail for Europe tomorrow. They were booked through O'Donnell's agency.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Am Sugar	129
A & T	78
B & O	84¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	51¼
Chi & Gt W	13⅞
C M & P	147
C R & P	22½
Con Gas	192¾
Del & Hud	160
Erie R R	24¾
Erie 1st	60¾
Manhat Con	150⅞
Mo Kan & Tex	17¾
Mo Kan & Tex pfd	40¾
Met St Ry	120
Mis Pac	92¼
N Y Cen	119
N Y Ont & W	30½
Penn	120
Peoples' Gas	99¾
Reading	52⅝
Reading pfd	83½
Reading 2d pfd	68¼
So Pac	49¾
So Pac rights	2¾
Tenn Coal & Iron	46
Tex & Pac	25
Union Pac	96
Union Pac pfd	93⅝
U S Steel	12⅛
U S Steel pfd	61¼
Wabash	16⅝
Wabash pfd	35
W U Telegraph	88
U S Leather	7½
U S Leather pfd	83

BOSTON STOCKS

Adventure	87½
Amalgamated	52⅝
American Wool	11¾
American Wool pfd	76½
Am Tel & Tel	134½
Arcadian	1
Atlantic	9
Anaconda	18¼
Allouez	6⅞
B & Albany	250
B & Maine	164
Bingham	25
Calumet & Hecla	480
Centennial	24¾
Chicago Junction	143½
Chicago Junction pfd	122
Copper Range	55¾
Daly West	19½
Dom Coal	45
Dom Coal pfd	105
Dom Steel	9¾
Elevated	145⅝
Elm River	2⅜
Fitchburg pfd	137
Franklin	7
Mass	4¾
Mass Gas	39½
Mass Gas pfd	82⅝
Mass Electric	18¼
Mass Electric pfd	69¾
Mex Tel	3⅝
Michigan	4
Mohawk	43
Mont C & C	4
N E Tel	123½
N Y N H & H R R	189
Osceola	64
Old Colony Mine	96⅞
Old Colony R R	205
Old Dominion	13¾
Shannon	5⅜
Rhode Island	11
Tamarack	88
Parrott	21
Quincy	85
Santa Fe	1⅜
Trinity	7⅞
United States	21⅞
Utah	37¾
U S Oil	10⅞
Winona	7⅝
Wolverine	78½
Western Tel	13¼
Western Tel pfd	91½
Victoria	3
West End	91⅝
West End pfd	112
Wyandotte	66

FEAR UPRISING

Japanese Keep Close Watch in Korea

PARIS, Aug. 1.—According to trustworthy advices, the Japanese seriously fear an uprising in Korea, where the announcement that Japan intends to distribute the lands not actually cultivated among Japanese colonists has greatly incensed the natives. The Japanese garrisons, it is added, have been strengthened by thousands during the last few days.

BREACH OF PROMISE

SUIT ENTERED AGAINST PROPRIETOR OF AMERICAN HOUSE.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—A suit, alleging breach of promise of marriage, has been entered in the New York courts by Miss Corinne Jungers of that city against Allen C. Jones, proprietor of the American House, in the sum of $25,000. As Miss Jungers is not yet 20 years old, the suit has been brought in the name of her mother, Marie Jungers.

She alleges that Miss Jungers first met Mr. Jones in May, 1902, and that his attentions became very marked. About a year ago Miss Jungers visited him in Boston, and it is further alleged that he proposed to her at that time, and was accepted. In view of these facts, Miss Jungers says she informed her friends and relatives of her approaching marriage, but that Mr. Jones finally became less attentive, and on June 4 last married Miss Ruth A. Robbins.

Mr. Jones, when seen last evening, said that it was the first intimation that he had that a suit had been brought against him. "I can satisfactorily explain my position before the court," he continued, "if the case ever comes to trial. I know the young lady who has brought this suit, but decided to break off my acquaintance with her some time ago, for good and sufficient reasons. Since that time I have had several letters from lawyers in New York telling me that if I would call and see them, the matter could probably be settled up satisfactorily, and I have also had threats of a suit to be brought against me. To all of these I replied that they could go ahead and sue, and that I would explain my side of the case to the court. That is all I care to say about the matter."

ARMED MOB

SURROUNDS A SWAMP WHERE HIGHWAYMEN ARE HIDING.

PORTAGE, Pa., Aug. 1.—Fully 500 men surround Cedar swamp near Dunlo where the highwaymen who killed Driver Charles Hayes and dangerously wounded Paymaster Patrick Campbell on Saturday, are supposed to be in hiding, but up to noon today no effort had been made to penetrate the swamp. Paymaster Campbell was reported today to be resting easy.

NO MORE CALLERS

JUDGE PARKER HAS CALLED A HALT.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Until after the notification ceremonies on August 10, callers at Rosemount will be discouraged. Judge Parker is making few appointments. No one arrived on the forenoon trains and no political visitors are expected today. Judge Parker's morning routine included superintending the harvesting of a field of rye.

ANDRE'S LETTER

PICKED UP NORTH OF SPITZBERGEN.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Aug. 1.—Despatches received here report that a Norwegian whaler has found north of Spitzbergen a letter from Prof. Andre, dated 1898. The text of the letter is not disclosed.

Prof. Andre left Spitzbergen in a balloon July 11, 1897, with the intention of crossing the North pole. He has not been definitely heard from since, though a number of unfounded reports have been circulated in connection with the aeronaut.

McMILLAN WITHDRAWS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 1.—In a signed statement to the democratic voters of Tennessee, issued last night, former Governor Benton McMillan withdraws from the race for U. S. senator to succeed General Wm. B. Bate the incumbent. In explanation of his act, Mr. McMillan says:

"I take this course at this time because in certain counties that have heretofore acted favorably to me the opposition has gone so far as to nominate and threaten to nominate independent legislative tickets and I am anxious to remove any action which tends to party defeat."

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BRUTAL ASSAULT

Dover Man Pounded With a Revolver

WAS ATTACKED ON HIS OWN DOORSTEP

Assailant First Tried to Shoot Him

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 1.—Joseph Dondero, an aged fruit dealer, was the victim at midnight on Saturday, of a murderous assault, robbery being the motive.

Mr. Dondero, who is nearly 70 years of age, left his store at the corner of Central avenue and 3d street for his home at 22 East street, a little before midnight. He was alone. When turning into New York street from Central avenue, he says he saw three men standing at the corner. Hearing footsteps behind him when he had gone a short distance down New York street and having nearly $300 in money on his person he quickened his pace, and had reached the doorstep of his home when suddenly a man sprang from behind and without saying a word struck him over the head with the butt end of a revolver. The first blow felled the fruit dealer and in quick succession it was followed by several more blows.

One of Mr. Dondero's neighbors says he heard unearthly cries, and about the same time heard a voice say, "Cheese it, cheese it; they're after us." John Farley, gate tender of the Boston & Maine railroad, who lives across the street, says he first heard home scuffling, followed by a cry of "Help, help; tramps are killing me!"

Mrs. Dondero and her son Joseph, who had not retired, when they heard the noise, forced a screen out of a window, and this frightened off the highwayman, his course being through back-yards and over fences in the direction of a lonely vacant lot off Dover street. Mr. Dondero, insensible was assisted into the house, with his head and face covered in blood.

The police and Dr. Stephen Young were quickly called, and the injured man's wounds were dressed. While of a very serious nature, it is not thought that they will prove fatal. Beside six deep gashes in the head and several bruises, Mr. Dondero's face and eyes bear marks of violence and discoloration.

So hurried was the flight of Mr. Dondero's assailant that the bloody revolver was left behind, the weapon being found upon the sidewalk. It was a five-barreled, 38-calibre revolver, and an attempt had been made to fire two of the four cartridges the chamber contained. The police believe that the intention was to shoot Mr. Dondero while he was going through a lonely lot that he usually crosses on his way home, and that as a last resort the weapon was used to pound the aged fruit dealer into insensibility.

SAFE ROBBED

HOME OF SISTERS ENTERED BY BURGLARS.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—The police last night learned that a safe burglary was committed in a mysterious manner Friday night at the house of the sisters of St. Bartholomew on North street. The safe contained $475 which had been raised by the sisterhood and was to be expended the next day to settle the monthly debts of the organization.

It is believed that access to the building was gained during Friday night by a rear door, and the safe, which is an old fashioned one, forced without much difficulty.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

TERRA COTA WORKS SUFFER HEAVY LOSS.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 1.—The group of four buildings of the ornamental terra cota works owned by Conkling, Armstrong and company, at Wissahicken avenue and Bristol street, was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is estimated at $150,000, fully covered by insurance. The concern employed 200 men and had orders on hand to the amount of $500,000.

LOCAL ELKS

WILL ATTEND OUTING AT CANOBIE LAKE ON WEDNESDAY.

Lowell Lodge, No. 67 B. P. O. Elks has been invited to attend the annual outing of Haverhill Lodge No. 165 B. P. O. Elks which will occur at Canobie Lake Park, Wednesday, Aug. 3rd. A ball game between Lawrence Lodge and Haverhill Lodge of Elks will be an attractive feature of the day. A large delegation from Lowell Lodge will attend.

SCHEDULES OF BANKRUPTCY.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Dr. Wm. E. Woodend, the broker whose suspension a few months ago attracted much attention today filed schedules of bankruptcy in the United States district court. An involuntary petition in bankruptcy against him was filed several months ago. The schedules shows debts to the amount of $196,774 and assets of $153,301. None of the liabilities are secured. The creditors number 500 and are scattered throughout the United States and Canada.

MIDSHIPMAN CLAY DEAD.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 1.—George Francis Clay of Grand Rapids, Mich., a member of the class of 1907 at the Annapolis Naval academy, died of pneumonia at the Memorial hospital about midnight last night. Midshipman Clay was taken to the hospital from the Monitor Florida, one of the vessels of the division of the North Atlantic squadron now stationed here and had been ill for a little over a week.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—Fire yesterday destroyed the establishment of the Shilbest Mercantile company. Loss $125,000.

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CASE OF SUICIDE

Paige Not Victim of Foul Play

MALDEN, Aug. 1.—The body of Clarence A. Paige, who has been missing from his home, 41 Linden avenue, since Wednesday forenoon, was found yesterday morning by a searching party in the Middlesex Fells, just over the Malden line in Melrose and only a short distance from the head of Summer street in Malden. There was a long and deep gash in the throat, and near the body a long knife, such as is used by the bootmakers in the rubber factory, was found.

It was a clear case of suicide, according to the police, who made an investigation. In the pockets was found a pocketbook containing $200 in bills, which was just the amount he received Tuesday after settling up the estate of his mother, who died a few months ago.

Wednesday, when he left his home, he told his wife that the estate of his mother had been settled and that there was no need of any further worrying about the matter. When he left the house he said he was going to the Fells rubber shop, where he was employed as bootmaker, to get his work ready for the following day. He left his watch and chain at home, but took the $200 with him, stating that he would pay the undertaker. He was seen at the rubber shop at 2.30 Wednesday afternoon, where he told some of his fellow-workmen that he would be back the next day. That was the last seen of him and his wife and friends had feared that he met with foul play at the hands of someone who knew he had money with him.

He was a member of several fraternal organizations, including the Knights of Pythias, the Knights of Malta and the Red Men of this city. Paige had not been feeling well the past year, although he worked steadily in the rubber shop.

Paige was born in Malden 46 years ago and leaves a wife, but no children. His friends now say that he probably killed himself while suffering from mental aberration brought on by worry in connection with the settlement of his mother's estate.

SEARCH BY MOB

Armed Posse Looking For Suspected Man

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 1.—A Free Press special from St. Joseph, Mich., says:

An armed posse is scouring the swamps near this city in search of a suspect who is thought to be lying in hiding mortally wounded. A pitched battle occurred yesterday between Deputy Sheriff Detample and two suspects, who were complained of for an attempted assault. The deputy was slightly wounded and nearly fifty shots were exchanged, the two suspects leaving a trail of blood when they escaped. One of them was arrested later when he ventured into the city to secure aid for his companion. He refused, however, to reveal the hiding place of the wounded man.

NEARLY KILLED

Capt. Bonavita Attacked by a Lion

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—Capt. "Jack" Bonavita was all but torn to pieces by the big African lion Baltimore last night in the Bostock arena at Coney Island, before a holiday crowd of 2000 persons. The animal raked Bonavita with its long claws, threw him against the back wall of the den, and as he was falling, tore the muscles from his arm from the tip of the shoulder to the elbow. As the trainer struggled to his feet again the huge beast snatched his left hand within his jaws and crushed the hand shapeless. Bonavita, almost swooning, emptied a revolver full of blank cartridges into its face.

In the brief moment that the enraged beast halted, Frank C. Bostock sprang through the cage door and literally snatched the limp form of the swooning trainer from beneath the very body of the lion. A fusilade of revolver shots from 20 attendants at the walls of the cage checked the beast a second, and in the second Bostock had carried Bonavita to safety.

The audience fell into panic. Fifty 20 women in the audience swooned and were carried to the open air. Many children became hysterical.

Bonavita was removed to the Reception hospital. It is scarcely hoped that he can live unless the arm is amputated.

Baltimore is the most savage of the lions with the show. Two weeks ago he clawed the eyes of his trainer and only ten days ago the unmanlable brute led another attack on Bonavita.

Bonavita pleaded to go on again, and was granted a farewell performance with his 27 lions Thursday night. Every precaution was taken, and he went through the act without mishap.

Bostock on Saturday consented to Bonavita's request to be allowed to start a new group, and he was given eight lions. He felt amply able to handle them when he had managed 27 so many times. Last night was his next appearance with the small group.

The thrilling termination of the performance practically ends Bonavita's career as a lion tamer. Even if he escapes with his arm, he will not be able to enter an arena for many weeks, and it is not believed that the police will sanction a repetition of the act that has so many times nearly cost him his life.

SENATOR HOPKINS

SAYS REPUBLICANS WILL CARRY ILLINOIS.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—President Roosevelt had several conferences today with political leaders. Senator Hopkins of Illinois stated that he had gone over very thoroughly the political situation in Illinois. He expressed the opinion that Illinois would give the president a majority of 100,000. The president is watching the development of the meat strike carefully but he has no present intention of interfering in any way.

Senator Foraker of Ohio, Speaker Cannon and Representative Overstreet of Indiana, also secretary of the republican congressional committee, conversed with the president.

SANDWICH LAW

Scored by the Rev. Mr. Kenngott Yesterday

LIFE PRESERVER OF THE SUNDAY HOTEL

Criticism of the Law and its Application

At the First Unitarian Congregational church, Sunday evening, the pastor, Rev. George F. Kenngott, talked about the sandwich and the saloon, thrilling his congregation in Isaiah 5.20 "Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil."

He said in part:

"With your own eyes you can see what the licensed saloon is doing in Lowell this year. Its doors are open, inviting the mechanic on his way to the shop, the merchant to his store, the child on his way to school or at play. Not one of us half realizes the terrible sad havoc wrought not alone by the low dive, the kitchen barroom and 'speak-easies,' but still more by the community respectable saloon and the 'Hotel,' where respectable men go for the social glass, and no drunkard is allowed.

"Last year we had no license in Lowell and thousands of gallons of intoxicating liquors were brought into our city by express. Notwithstanding all that liquor thus imported, the arrests for drunkenness were much less last year. There were not so many men leaping and reeling on our streets. Monday mornings did not bring so large a company of drunken men and women before our police court. The jail on Thorndike street was not so full. One did not meet so many drunkards on the streets. One does not have to study statistics to prove that there was less intemperance, less of drunkenness and crime last year than this, with all the importations of liquor, with all the illegal selling in 'speak-easies,' 'hip-pockets,' etc. The saloon doors were not wide open. The traffic was altogether illegal. Difficult as it is to enforce no-license, is it much more difficult to enforce the license law. The license laws are fearfully and wonderfully made. It is difficult to enforce but easy to evade them.

"The saloon and its victim are never satisfied. Not content with having open doors six days in the week, by virtue of the vote of Lowell citizens, and the award of the police commissioners, in the guise of hotels, they are keeping open house for the public on Sunday, few of whom sleep in the hotel beds, or even eat the delicate sandwich that must be brought with the liquor. What is to hinder any liquor dealer from putting up a bunk or two in his spare bedroom, getting a hotel license and making Lowell wide open on Sunday for drunkenness, lust and all manner of evil?

"The conscience of the saloon is not tender, the conscience of the drunkard is not sensitive. Law is a barrier, but that is a poor law that cannot be perverted. The saloon raises up a brood of legalists—pharisees—who strain at a comma or a semicolon, really evade the law relating to Sunday closing by calling themselves hotels, issuing a small sandwich, raising the price of the beer, or the sandwich on Sunday and flaunting themselves in the face and eyes of those who desire a Sunday for worship and rest, for religious culture and the development of the good and pure life.

"It was bad enough in the last license year, to see men sneaking in the back doors of hotels, and through devious ways to a bed-room or a wine cellar for their Sunday grog. It is worse, under the guise of the law, to see men, by the scores, in full view of men, women and children on their way to and from church, seated at tables drinking their liquor at their ease, without shame, without reproach, flattering themselves they are good, law-abiding citizens, because they are drinking the liquor in a so-called "hotel," and have paid extra for the privilege of drinking it on Sunday. But the sandwich! The life-preserver of the Sunday hotel and the Monday saloon! The open saloon on Sunday, save the less a saloon, though it has a few bed-rooms, and calls itself a hotel, ought to be worth several hundred votes for no-license at the next election. The saloon element is not so wise nor shrewd as it thinks itself to be. It may be relied on to overleap the mark. The churchgoing public may not be as wakeful as the saloon power, but the saloon may be relied on to give the noose on the public's neck an extra twist which arouses it from its lethargy. It did just that in the original package matter. For the sake of the increased revenue from the licensed saloon, the religious voters will endure much, but we did not count on licensing so many hotels as Sunday saloons. We may be willing to have dust thrown in our eyes, but the sandwiches are hard enough to wake us up. Does the law prescribe the size of the sandwich and the size of the glass of liquor that is issued with it? Can a patron prolong his sandwich for several glasses? Must he have a little sandwich with every great mug. Are all of those men who are in the Sunday hotel saloons bona-fide guests? As to the argument so frequently used last autumn that no license raised the tax rate, we have received the precious revenue from the licensed saloons, and now are informed that the tax rate will have to remain about the same! In view of the increased expense of operating the police court, county jail, city farm, and the other great institutions, it is rather remarkable that the tax rate will not be increased. With these high tax rates, our streets remain dark as before. The children of Darkdale and the Highlands will still remain in crowded school-rooms and corridors; the people of Pawtucketville must be content with their bridge, while the boys must be satisfied with the canals instead of a municipal bathhouse. It is true, we did have something of a Fourth of July celebration this year, which we had to forego last year. Perhaps if we go on voting for the saloon, and charge something extra for Sunday we might be able to afford a Labor Day celebration next year, and all have a free ride over the hill to the poorhouse? My plea is for no-license for the next year."

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

After the morning service at the Westminster Presbyterian church yesterday, the congregation took an informal vote in favor of asking Rev. Andrew P. Gibson of Pittsburg, Pa., to become their pastor. Mr. Gibson has been supplying the pulpit for several weeks.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the Immanuel Baptist church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. H. F. True spoke upon "Some Elements of a Successful Church." In the evening, "Favorite Hymns of the Church and Their Authors," was the subject, and the pastor gave a brief historical and biographical sketch. The hymns thus chosen were sung as a part of the service, the choir and congregation joining. Mr. True sang the solo to "Come Sweetly Solemn Thought," one of the hymns chosen for the evening.

STEARNS GROVE.

Three hundred people were in attendance at the Stearns grove meeting yesterday afternoon. Rev. S. P. Ford, D. D., of the First Baptist church, was the speaker, and his sermon on "The Sale of a Man," was interesting. The music was by the choir of the Immanuel Baptist church, Charles E. Woodbury, leader. Mr. C. W. Jonnson as soloist.

CENTRALVILLE M. E.

"Divine Appointments With Men," was Rev. F. M. Pickles' sermon subject at the Centralville M. E. church, yesterday. He said that to such as observed these appointments our walk on earth was with God. Death was peaceful and triumphant, and by special appointment Christ would meet us in the land which is eternally sunlit and sorrow and sighing would flee away.

Miss Cora Titus sang in rich contralto tones, a solo entitled "Zion," with Miss Lena Luce accompanist.

Four persons were added to the membership of the church and a solemn communion service closed the meeting. Mr. Pickles was assisted in this service by his two local preachers, Gardner Wills and J. H. Jones.

BAND CONCERT

Thousands Enjoyed Last Night's Fine Attraction

A large crowd assembled at the North common last evening to hear a concert in the municipal series by Mirault's Union Musical band. The weather conditions were delightful, brisk breeze blowing across the great amphitheatre fraught with relief to thousands of heated brows, while a red summer moon shed a soft light upon the scene.

A walk through the common during the concert would convince the most careful municipal economist that $600 spent on a series of band concerts was money well spent, for all kinds and conditions were there, the denizens of the poorer quarters of the city being in the majority, for to them a free concert in a public breathing place is a great boon.

Pleasure shown from hundreds of faces as the band poured forth its melodies, most of which were the popular kind well known to all. But one thing is needed to make the concerts supremely successful and that is more police protection.

The opening of the concert was marred by a crowd of howling urchins who went from place to place, annoying everyone within reach and hearing, until driven away by a policeman.

AUTOPSY PERFORMED

WOMAN FOUND DEAD IN LUMBER CAMP.

NASHUA, N. H., Aug. 1.—Mrs. Annie Thibault of this city died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning under what the police consider peculiar circumstances at her husband's lumber camp, about three miles from this city.

The police were notified last night. In the absence of Medical Referee J. T. Greeley of this city, Referee George M. Davis of Manchester, was called. He was furnished with the necessary papers by County Solicitor E. H. Wason and an autopsy was performed last night.

Mrs. Thibault was living with her fourth husband, Antoine Thibault. In the camp the only other woman was his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Samuel Thibault. The dead woman was taken sick at midnight Saturday night, and after vomiting for two hours she died. She was 61 years old.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The annual meeting of the Congregation Ohaun Shalam was held last night and the following officers were elected: President, L. Cauer; vice president, Mr. Baker; treasurer, Mr. Courtz; financial secretary, Mr. Shapero; recording secretary, Mr. Levin; conductor, Mr. Freedman; trustees, Messrs. Vinthrop, Ginsberg and Vise.

The reports of the treasurer and secretary showed the society to be in a flourishing condition.

DROWNED IN CLAY PIT.

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 1.—Clarence Conrad, 20 years old, was drowned yesterday afternoon while bathing in a clay pit in Graham's brick yard. The body was recovered.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE—By virtue of a license granted to me by the Probate court in and for the county of Middlesex as the administratrix of the estate of John O'Neil late of Lowell in said county deceased, I will sell at public auction on the premises on Saturday the sixth day of August, A. D. 1904, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, the following described parcel of real estate of said deceased, to wit:

A certain parcel of land on the westerly side of Coburn street in said Lowell, bounded Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the premises on said Coburn street and at southeast corner of lot No. 58 as laid down on a plan of land drawn by William F. Osgood of the Richardson forefield so called thence running westerly along said lot No. 58, 93 45-100 feet, thence southerly 19 20-100 feet to a new street called L street; thence easterly along said L street 24 98-100 feet to said Coburn street; thence northerly along said Coburn street 19 50-100 feet to the point of beginning.

The purchaser must deposit with or secure to the auctioneer $150.00 as soon as property is struck off. Other terms made known at time of sale.

BRIDGET O'NEIL, Administratrix.
J. J. & W. A. Hogan, Attorneys.
Lowell, Mass., July 21, 1904.

MISCELLANEOUS

CARPETS, CARPETS, CARPETS. Cleaned on your floor. No dust. No dirt. No work for you. Thos. Don, 56 Massachusetts Corporation, Merrimack Square.

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IF YOUR STRAW HAT is looking dusty or dirty just call at Joe Delorme the Hater, 261 Middlesex st. where you can have it cleaned and pressed at short notice. Hats made to order.

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DRINK GLORIA for new and vigorous life. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

LADIES Dr. LaFrance's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFrance & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Middle aged lady would like housework or minding children. A W., Sun Office.

SITUATION WANTED—Doing general housework by a Norwegian young woman. Apply at 124 London street.

SITUATION WANTED—Would like position as housekeeper in widower's family or would care for invalid. Address Housekeeper, Sun Office.

WANTED—A job on a farm, can do almost any kind of farm work. Address 41 Amrow st.

WANTED—A chance to work as clerk in grocery or saloon, can talk several languages. Address William Nowrocki, 242 Fayette st.

WANTED—A situation by a middle aged woman to do light housework or care for 1 child under 1 year old. Inquire at 167 East Merrimack st.

WANTED—By a woman of middle age, a place to do housework in a small family, permanence desired more than large wages. Mrs. Scott, 71 London st.

WANTED—Light work around gentleman's place or as watchman by sober, honest man with references. Good home more than pay desired. Inquire at 28 Smith street, James Kelley.

WANTED—By an elderly woman, a situation to care for an invalid or to do light housework. Address Mrs. Lucy this office or call at 152 Appleton st.

NURSE—Thoroughly experienced nurse, capable of acting as midwife, confinement cases a specialty. Address 29 Chestnut square.

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MONEY LOANED salaried people, easy weekly payments, no delay, we trust in your honor. Massachusetts Loan Co., 13 Merrimack Sq., 16 Prescott st., Room 9.

MONEY TO LOAN—On credit without security, salaried people, merchants, etc. Easy payments, lowest rates. Uberal discount for prompt payments. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate Bldg.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

DRESSMAKER will make a lady's suit for $3.00 as advertisement. 23 C St.

MRS. ANNA M. COGGESHALL has moved from 26 to 38 Nichols street.

TRADING STAMPS—All colors, we make a specialty of Tea and Coffee. We give 80 stamps with one pound of Baking Powder at 50c; 80 with one pound of our 60c Tea; 60 with our 50c Tea; 10 with our 25c Coffee; 20 with our 30c Coffee; 30 with our 35c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Square.

LADIES—A most satisfactory summer dessert is "Dainty Desserts." Makes delicious puddings by simply adding pure milk. Flavoring if desired. No baking—prepared in a moment's time. Send 10c for full size package, also our booklet entitled "Some Ideas for Desserts." Leopold Anderson Co., Campello, Mass.

PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1030 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

THAT POUND OF COFFEE if bought at Dickson's will be fresh roasted, fresh ground or pulverized and the best coffee you ever had. Double stamps all this week. Dickson's Tea Store, 58 Merrimack st.

BILLIARD AND POOL tables bought, sold and repaired, all work guaranteed. S. Scott, 31 Central st.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

NOTICE

This is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Elizabeth Clark, after this date.

GEORGE H. CLARK.

Aug. 1, 1904.

WANTED

TRADING STAMPS—We give 2½c per 100 for Green, 12c for Blue. Count your stamps and send them by mail. We forward money order for same. L. E. Gibson, 508 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Mrs. J. S. Wilkinson, 88 First street.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, vicinity Central or Gorham sts. N. E., Sun Office.

WANTED—Children to board in East Chelmsford, second house on right past city line. Take Boston car.

LYING IN HOSPITAL—This is the only place of its kind in this vicinity and is so equipped as to accommodate all classes. Mrs. Blanchard, 688 Pleasant street, Drum Centre. Telephone 734-4.

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CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 30c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—A good experienced table girl. Inquire 39 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—By a young woman, a place as housekeeper in a small family and a child 7 years old. Address this office, Mrs. S. M.

WANTED—Representatives in Lowell and vicinity for the Equitable Banking Company. Steady work and good pay. W. D. Cobb, 24 Central st., Room 2.

WANTED—A woman to do housework and to take care of children. Apply at 95 West Sixth street.

WANTED—A cook at once. 28 Robinson st.

WANTED—Manager for branch office we wish to locate here in Lowell. Address, with references. Morris Wholesale House, Care this paper.

WANTED—Men wanted at the factory of the American Mason Safety Tread Co., Perry st.

WANTED—A girl in a Greek Coffee House. Call at 604 Market st.

WANTED—Farm hand, must be temperate. Inquire at 40 Middlesex st., room 13.

WANTED—First class agents to represent us in Lowell and vicinity, liberal terms to right men. Apply Manager 13 Merrimack Square, Room 1.

AGENTS WANTED—Lady or gents for this city at once, to sell the New Improved Filter. You can have pure water at any faucet. Write and our general agent will call. Address Filter, Sun Office.

WANTED—A kitchen girl, no washing to do. Apply 111 Westford st.

WANTED—Three or four good spinners wanted on D. & F. long mules that are willing to work steady for good pay, no other need apply. Family help preferred. Cochrane Mfg. Co., Dedham, Mass.

LADIES—Earn $20 per hundred writing short letters. Send stamped envelope for particulars. Ideal Mfg. Co., Cassopolis, Mich.

WANTED—Table girl at 213 Middlesex st.

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AN OVERTIME GAME

Lowell Played a Heart Breaker With Concord

Tierney and Connors Were Much in Evidence Throughout the Game—McGovern Injured His Finger and Lake Caught a Fine Game

Lowell defeated Concord in a well played snappy game at Spalding park Saturday afternoon before a large gathering of enthusiastic fans, who wanted to see Lowell make it three straight victories against the upriver team.

There were about 1500 people present with a good number of ladies and a sprinkling of sports from the village up the river. Young was on the slab for the visiting team and Bushey was doing stunts for Lowell. It was expected that George Grant would make his reappearance in the game this afternoon, but his foot is not yet in condition to allow him to play.

Umpire John Rudderham made his first appearance since his return to the game and received a cordial welcome. The game was called shortly after 3 o'clock with Concord at bat.

FIRST INNING.

Concord failed to score in the first inning. Colburn was the first man up and he struck out. Pulsifer followed him and drew his base on balls. Noblitt hit to short centre field and the ball dropped between Dorgan and McLaughlin and Noblitt reached first, while Pulsifer went down to second. Newenham then sent a line drive to McLaughlin which Barney caught, and Pulsifer was caught at second base for a double play.

Lowell scored twice in the first inning. Tierney opened with a single to the left garden and Connors hit to Kane, who fumbled and both men were safe. Dorgan was taken out of the game at this point on account of a sore foot and Cross was substituted. Cross singled to right field scoring Tierney, Newenham making a fumble on Cross' hit. Hickey hit to Young and died at first and Lake hit to Clark and died at the same place, Connors scoring on the put out. Bigbie closed the inning by flying out to Clark.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Concord got a man around as far as third base while Lowell went out in one, two, three order. Kane opened for Concord by striking out, and Diggins was next with a base on balls. On account of a bad foot he was allowed a runner. Lovell flied out to Bigbie, the latter making a fine running catch. Clark hit to centre field and Diggins' runner went to third while Clark went to second on the throw to third. Young hit to McLaughlin and was out at first.

For Lowell, McLaughlin flied out to Noblitt. McGovern was second out on a line drive to Kane and Bushey hit to Clark and was out at first.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

THIRD INNING.

In the opening half of the third Colburn hit a foul tip which McGovern caught on the tip of the first finger of the right hand, knocking a joint out. Being unable to catch any longer he was sent to right field. Tierney was put in left, Bigbie came in to first base and Lake went behind the bat, remarking to the crowd that this was the first time he ever caught a game.

Colburn then struck out. Pulsifer sent a Texas leaguer to centre field and Noblitt hit to Hickey and was the second man out. Lake caught Pulsifer dead out on second, but the umpire called him safe. Newenham closed the inning by sending a foul fly to Bigbie at first.

It was another case of one, two, three in the third inning for Lowell. Tierney hit to Clark and was out at first. Connors flied out to Clark and Cross struck out.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

FOURTH INNING.

In the fourth, Kane foul flied to Bigbie and Diggins got a grounder which Billy Connors was so sure of getting that he allowed it to go through his legs. Lovell struck out. Clark flied out to Tierney who made a pretty running catch.

Hickey opened the fourth for Lowell by flying out to Noblitt. Lake followed with a hit to right center for two bases. Bigbie was the next man up and he hit to Clark and was out at first. Lake going around to third, but Lake failed to score for Barnie McLaughlin closed the inning by striking out.

Score—Lowell 2, Concord 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Concord descended on Bushey in the fifth inning and slammed out six hits with a total of seven and scored three runs. But in justice to Bushey it must be acknowledged that the majority of the hits to center field should have been fielded. Young opened with a hit to short center. Colburn followed with a single to right. Pulsifer hit to left for a single and Colburn tried to make third, but he fell twice while trying to get there on account of a bad shoe and was tagged out. Noblitt hit to Bushey and was out at first. Newenham hit over Tierney's head for two bases and Young and Pulsifer scored. Kane hit to center field scoring Newenham. Diggins hit to center field sending Kane down to third base. Diggins and Kane then tried a double steal and Kane was put out at the plate.

For Lowell, McGovern hit to Young and was out at first. Bushey reached first on an error by Lovell. Tierney foul flied to Diggins. Connors hit one to Kane and beat the ball out to first. Cross hit to Kane and Connors was put out at second.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 2.

SIXTH INNING.

In the sixth, Lovell struck out and Clark hit to deep centre over Cross' head, but just as the ball was going over Low put up his hand and grabbed it. Young drew his base on balls and Colburn closed the inning by flying out to Tierney.

Hickey opened the sixth for Lowell by making a single and as he started to steal second Lake flied out and Hickey was out on the double play. Bigbie drew his base on balls, but in trying to steal second was caught by a mile.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 2.

SEVENTH INNING.

Pulsifer hit a line drive to Hickey and was out at first. Noblitt flied out to Connors. Newenham singled to right field and Kane closed the inning by hitting to McLaughlin and forcing Newenham out.

In the seventh McLaughlin flied out to Newenham. McGovern flied out to Kane. Bushey wound up the inning by flying out to Lovell.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 2.

EIGHTH INNING.

In the eighth Diggins hit to Hickey and was out at first. Lovell flied out to Connors and Clark flied out to Cross.

For Lowell Tierney hit the ball out to the left field fence for a clean two bagger and the crowd yelled themselves hoarse. Connors sent him to third with a pretty sacrifice. Cross flied out to Noblitt and Tierney scored on the play. Hickey hit to right field for a two base hit. Lake hit to Clark and closed the inning.

Score—Concord 3, Lowell 3.

NINTH INNING.

Young opened the ninth by flying out to Hickey. Colburn hit to Connors and died at first. Pulsifer got a Texas leaguer to right field. Noblitt flied out to Cross.

Bigbie opened the ninth by striking out. McLaughlin flied out to Colburn. McGovern hit to Young and died at first.

Score—Lowell 3, Concord 3.

TENTH INNING.

Newenham hit a single to left field. Kane sacrificed sending Newenham to second. Diggins got a scratch single sending Newenham to third. Lovell hit to Hickey who threw to McLaughlin getting Kane. He then threw to Bigbie making a double play.

Bushey opened the enth by hitting to Young and dying at first. Tierney drew his base on balls. Connors hit to short right for a hit but Clarke knocked the ball down and threw bad to first, letting Connors get to second and Tierney to third.

Cross hit to Kane and Tierney beat the ball home.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Tierney rf lf	4	3	2	3	2	0	0
Connors 3b	4	1	2	2	3	1	1
Dorgan cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cross lf	5	0	2	2	3	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	0	2	3	4	3	0
Lake 1b c	4	0	1	2	5	1	0
Bigbie lf 1b	3	0	0	0	9	0	0
McLaughlin ss	4	0	0	0	2	6	0
McGovern c rf	4	0	0	0	2	1	0
Bushey p	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	4	9	12	30	13	1

CONCORD.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Colburn lf	5	0	1	1	1	0	0
Pulsifer 1b	4	1	3	3	11	0	0
Noblitt cf	6	0	1	1	3	0	1
Newenham rf	5	1	3	4	2	1	0
Kane ss	4	0	1	1	3	0	1
Diggins c	4	0	2	2	4	2	0
Lovell 3b	5	0	0	0	1	0	1
Clark 2b	4	0	1	1	3	5	1
Young p	3	1	1	1	0	4	0
Totals	44	3	13	14	28	12	4

*Winning run made with one man out.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Lowell	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	—4
Concord	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Earned runs—Lowell 1, Concord 3. Two base hits—Lake, Newenham, Tierney, Hickey. Sacrifice hits—Connors, Kane. Stolen bases—Tierney 2. Double plays—McLaughlin and Hickey; Newenham and Pulsifer; Hickey, McLaughlin and Bigbie. Strike outs—By Bushey 5, by Young 3. Bases on balls—Off Bushey 3, off Young 2. Umpire—Rudderham. Attendance—1800. Time of game—2h.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Manchester 3, Nashua 0 (first game) Manchester 3, Nashua 1 (second game), attendance 1200.

Lowell 4, Concord 3 (10 innings), attendance 1400.

New Bedford 3, Lawrence 2 (first game—12 innings); New Bedford 7, Lawrence 0, (second game), attendance 1500.

Haverhill 4, Fall River 3, attendance 1100.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago 6, Boston 4, attendance 14,101.

New York 3, St. Louis 2 (first game) New York 9, St. Louis 2 (second game), attendance 12,207.

Cleveland 9, Washington 4, attendance 5455.

Philadelphia 4, Detroit 1, attendance 9,760.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston 6, Brooklyn 0, attendance 8,500.

New York 6, Philadelphia 4, attendance 11,535.

Chicago 3, Cincinnati 0, attendance 7,000.

Pittsburg 5, St. Louis 2 (first game—10 innings); Pittsburg 2, St. Louis 1 (second game; attendance 7,850.

SUNDAY GAMES.

Chicago 9, St. Louis 5.
Pittsburg 7, Cincinnati 1.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	53	22	.707
Lowell	38	33	.535
Nashua	39	37	.513
Fall River	38	39	.491
Concord	35	38	.485
Manchester	35	39	.473
New Bedford	35	40	.467
Lawrence	24	50	.324

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	52	33	.612
New York	50	33	.602
Chicago	54	35	.632
Cleveland	47	35	.573
Philadelphia	46	38	.548
St. Louis	34	45	.430
Detroit	33	50	.398
Washington	13	61	.220

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	62	21	.721
Chicago	53	33	.616
Cincinnati	52	37	.584
Pittsburg	49	36	.576
St. Louis	48	40	.546
Boston	33	57	.367
Brooklyn	32	59	.352
Philadelphia	22	63	.250

GAMES TODAY.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell at Manchester.
Concord at Nashua.
Haverhill at New Bedford.
Lawrence at Fall River.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia at New York.

STONY BROOK LEAGUE.

At West Chelmsford—West Chelmsford 12, Graniteville 6.

At Nabnassett Grove—Crescents 5, Middlesex 4.

Pepperell Alumni-Union—Game postponed.

STONY BROOK LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
West Chelmsford	13	4	.764
Crescents	12	4	.750
Unions	7	3	.437
Graniteville	6	10	.375
Middlesex	5	3	.357
Pepperell Alumni	4	11	.266

R. A. TEAM WON.

The ball team of Lowell council, R. A., defeated the James G. Newcomb team of East Boston by a score of 13 to 3 at the Westlands ball grounds Saturday.

The Lowell team took the lead in the third inning. The visitors were weak in fielding, and the locals outplayed them with the bat and on the bases. Conway, Shepard and Carll of Lowell 8 and Cauley of the visitors got two-base hits. The score by innings:

Lowell 8	0	1	0	2	3	2	1	4	*	—13
J. G. Newcomb	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3

On August 13, the Lowell 8 team goes to East Boston for a return game.

The lineup of the teams was as follows:

Lowell 8—Carll ss, Hodgman rf and lf, Coburn p, Shepard c, Campbell 3b, Edgell 1b, Conway 2b and p, Richardson lf and 2b, Russell rf, Fox cf.

James G. Newcomb—Rockwell lf, Cauley ss, Kiernan cf, Farrar 2b, Murray p, Gillespie rf, Cameron c, Mulcahy 3b, Jewkes 1b.

WON TWO GAMES.

At Tewksbury—Almonts 11, Victors 4. Almonts 15, Pawtucket Ends 12.

GAMES THIS WEEK.

(New England League.)

Monday—Lowell at Manchester, Concord at Nashua, Haverhill at New Bedford, Lawrence at Fall River.

Tuesday—Manchester at Lowell, Nashua at Concord (two games,) Haverhill at New Bedford, Lawrence at Fall River.

Wednesday—Nashua at Manchester (two games), Lowell at Concord, Fall River at Haverhill, New Bedford at Lawrence.

Thursday Manchester at Nashua, Concord at Lowell (two games) Fall River at Haverhill, New Bedford at Lawrence.

Friday—Manchester at Concord, Lowell at Nashua, Haverhill at Lawrence, New Bedford at Fall River.

Saturday—Concord at Manchester, Nashua at Lowell, Lawrence at Haverhill, Fall River at New Bedford.

(National League.)

Monday—Philadelphia at New York.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—St. Louis at Boston, Pittsburg at Brooklyn, Cincinnati at New York, Chicago at Philadelphia.

Saturday Cincinnati at Boston, Chicago at Brooklyn, Pittsburg at Philadelphia, St. Louis at New York.

(American League.)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—Boston at Cleveland, New York at Detroit, Washington at Chicago, Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Friday and Saturday—Boston at Detroit, New York at Cleveland, Washington at St. Louis, Philadelphia at Chicago.

Sunday, Aug. 7—Philadelphia at Chicago, Washington at St. Louis.

DIAMOND NOTES.

Lowell at Manchester today, a double-header.

Lowell had a great week and demonstrated the fact that the team can play if it wants to.

Perhaps Tierney didn't hold his end up in Saturday's game. He made three of Lowell's four runs, and contributed two hits.

Lake caught a great game and he deserves all the more credit because it was his first this season.

McGovern says it seemed like a vacation to go into right field.

"If he didn't fall down Concord would have won the game and little Tommy on first base line would have won his pool. Young in running from second to third tripped himself up twice and of course was caught out at third.

Billy Connors is getting to be a dead sure hitter.

Of late Hickey and McLaughlin have become unreliable. One day they bat and field like fiends but the next day finds them failing to either field or bat.

After last week Hickey has no excuse for slowness on a base for last week he showed that he could run bases with any of them.

With Grant back and the rest of the team all working we ought to be able to get as good a hold on second place as Haverhill has on first.

Don't forget the date, August 11th. $1.50 is the round trip rate to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad.

WHIPPET RACES

Held on the Fair Grounds Saturday Afternoon

A small crowd of whippet fanciers attended the races at the Fair Grounds Saturday when 27 dogs were entered with nine lively trial heats. The races took up a couple of hours with the usual jockeying and growling of the owners and attendants of the dogs.

After the usual weeding out, Tom, late Toney, owned by Kirk of Methuen, won out by about 2 yds., with Master McGrath, owned by Buckley of Lawrence 2d, and Bonny Boy, owned by Clare of Lowell third. The prizes were $50, $15, and $10, given respectively to the owners of the dogs who took the first three places.

A summary of the afternoon's sport follows:

First heat—Rocksand (Harry's), Methuen.

Second heat—Mistletoe (Ashton), Lawrence.

Third heat—Tom, late Toney (Kirk), Methuen.

Fourth heat—Island Boy (Codagan), Lawrence.

Fifth heat—Bonny Boy (Clare), Lowell.

Sixth heat—Weicolt (Gilligan), Lawrence.

Seventh heat—Young Hopeful (Blackwell), Lawrence.

Eighth heat—Cripple (Tom's), Lowell.

Ninth heat—Master McGrath (Buckley), Lawrence.

Semi-finals—First heat, Master McGrain; second heat, Tom; third heat, Bonny Boy.

Finals—First, Tom, $50; second, Master McGrath, $15, and third, Bonny Boy, $10.

The judges were W. H. Hamber and Hugh Ferguson, and the starter was Matt McKiejohn.

GREAT EXCURSION

FOR THE BENEFIT OF RAILROAD TRAINMEN TO CRESCENT PARK.

About fifteen hundred Lowell people enjoyed the excursion to Crescent park on the Providence river yesterday under the auspices of the Spindle City lodge, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. Thirty carloads of happy people enjoyed the day's outing. The first train of cars left Middlesex street station at a few minutes before eight and the second train left about fifteen minutes later while the third left about ten minutes after the second. The first train reached the park at 10.30, the second fifteen minutes later and the third twenty minutes after the second.

The different places along the pike were visited and a fine time was enjoyed by everybody. Two slight accidents were the only things to mar in any way the pleasure of the day. Lillian Cassidy, residing in Centralville, while going down the shoot the chutes lost her balance and she sustained a bad gash in the forehead. Another Lowell lady was riding around the pony race track when the two-wheeled cart she was riding in toppled over and she received a bad shaking up.

The first section of the train left the park last night at 7.10 and arrived here a few minutes before 10. The second section left at 7.20 and pulled in at the depot at 10.05, but the third section was not so fast, not arriving till 11.10.

The excursion was conducted for the benefit of the Brotherhood of Trainmen under special permission from the railroad commissioners.

BASE BALL
TOMORROW
Manchester vs. Lowell
SPALDING PARK.
ADMISSION - - - - 25 CENTS

MOHAIR RESERVES DEFEATED.

On the Chelmsford street grounds Saturday afternoon the Mohair Reserves were beaten by the Methuen Reserves by three wickets. The score:

MOHAIR RESERVES.

H. Clayton, run out	5
G. Hunt, b Timms	6
J. Whitaker, c Horner, b Timms	1
A. Watson, c Highton, b Hamor	7
A. Williams, b Timms	1
J. Greenwood, c Littleton, b Timms	6
J. W. Watson, b Timms	0
J. Carter, not out	17
L. Pascall, b Timms	0
J. Rhodes, b Timms	0
J. Jessop, b Timms	2
Extras	6
Total	57

METHUEN RESERVES.

J. Ure, b Greenwood	14
W. Briggs, b Greenwood	24
Addison, c Williams, b Greenwood	0
W. Teel, not out	7
Higton, b Greenwood	9
Hamor, c Hunt, b Greenwood	0
Littleton, b Hunt	2
J. Briggs, not out	2
Extras	2
Total	60

P. Timms, P. Jennings, J. Humphrey, to bat.

BUNTING 87, FITCHBURG 37.

In the Central Massachusetts Cricket League series Saturday afternoon the reserve team of the Buntings defeated Fitchburg 87 to 37, at Wigginville. The best scores by Bunting were Simpson 22, Marriott 15, Robinson 11, Scholes 10, Williams 9. Hopkinson's 17 was the best for Fitchburg. Deacon, Burnett and Asquith bowled for Fitchburg. Marriott of Bunting took three wickets without the batters scoring. Scholes took two for 15 and Birtwistle four for 21. The score:

FITCHBURG.

Asquith, c Nelson, b Scholes	8
Deacon, c Nolan, b Birtwistle	1
Brownell, c Aspin, b Scholes	0
Hopkinson, b Marriott	17
Hunt, c Nelson, b Birtwistle	0
Burnett, c Aspin, b Birtwistle	6
Dyerson, run out	5
Bateman, c Clayton, b Birtwistle	1
Hirst, not out	0
Holdeyo, b Marriott	0
Stevens, b Marriott	0
Totals	37

BUNTINGS.

J. Simpson, c Brunnell, b Burnett	22
G. Clayton, b Burnett	2
B. Birtwistle, c Burnett, b Asquith	10
Townsend, c Bateman, b Burnett	2
Robinson, b Burnett	11
Scholes, b Burnett	15
Marsden, c and b Burnett	2
Marriott, b Deacon	15
Nelson, c Deacon, b Burnett	0
Williams, c Deacon, b Burnett	9
Aspin, not out	2
Extras	4
Totals	87

WANDERERS 154, BUNTING 30.

The Lynn Wanderers met the Buntings on the Lynn grounds Saturday afternoon and defeated them, 154 to 30, with only five wickets down. There were many spectators and the Lynns received much applause for their fine playing. The score:

LYNN WANDERERS.

J. Bennett, b Burns	1
Lowe, c Rudden, b Burns	35
Fairbairn, b Patrick	10
Jeffries, stp Clegg, b Rudden	37
Singleton, b Watson	9
Chave, not out	33
S. Bennett, not out	15
Extras	14
Total for 5 wickets	154

Hood, Harrison, Young and E. Bennett did not bat.

BUNTING.

Barber, lbw, b E. Bennett	1
Simpson, c S. Bennett, b Young	0
West, run out	1
Gath, c Singleton, b E. Bennett	7
Watson, stp Jeffries, b Fairbairn	0
Rowley, c S. Bennett, b Fairbairn	3
Patrick, c Harrison, b E. Bennett	1
Burns, hit wkt, b Fairbairn	0
Scholes, b E. Bennett	3
Rudden, c Jeffries, b Fairbairn	7
Clegg, not out	0
Extras	7
Total	30

MOHAIR 64, BROCKTON 42.

Mohair defeated the Brockton team in a league game on the Cross street grounds, Brockton, Saturday by a score of 64 to 42. Mosley batted well for 28. For the home team Williams and Orton did the best batting. Both teams did excellent fielding. The score:

MOHAIR.

Shaw, lbw, b Taylor	8
Mosley, c Williams, b Heritage	28
Allen, c Smith, b Orton	0
Houghton c Smith, b Heritage	10
Shuttleworth, b Taylor	0
Whittaker, c Grant, b Taylor	5
Atkinson, b Taylor	0
Harriman, c Taylor, b Heritage	1
Cooper, c Towers, b Heritage	0
Waite, not out	7
Harrison, lbw, b Taylor	1
Extra	1
Total	61

BROCKTON.

Smith, b Allen	0
Grant, b Shaw	3
Williams b Mosley	11
Stringer, lbw, b Allen	2
Orton, c Mosley, b Allen	17
Grimley, lbw, b Mosley	0
Taylor, b Allen	7
Heritage, c Mosley, b Houghton	4
Sykes, b Mosley	3
Poole, c Houghton, b Mosley	0
Towers, not out	0
Total	42

COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.

The adjourned meeting of the Co-operation association was held in Odd Fellows' hall Saturday night with a fair sized attendance. Three of the old directors were re-elected and an auditor. There was a long debate on some amendments to the by-laws. Some of the amendments were adopted while others were carried over until another meeting. The principal argument was over the making of the grocery department separate and declaring its own dividend. It was rejected.

UNION VETERANS' UNION.

The nineteenth annual encampment of the Union Veterans' union will be held in Chelsea on August 16, 17 and 18th. The encampment meeting will be held in Knights of Malta hall and will be called to order at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

ON THE ALLEYS

Bigelows Lead in Lakeview Tournament

DYER THE STAR BOWLER OF THE WEEK

McDonald Made the Best Single String Total

That bowling is the leading indoor sport this summer goes without saying, for this muscle making and enjoyable pastime which is considered a winter indoor sport has become the favorite sport and pastime of a large number of people in this vicinity this summer.

Manager Joseph P. Fox, of the Lakeview bowling alley, has in a large measure been accountable for the sudden boom of the winter sport to be indulged in during the hot months of the year by the offering of special prizes to lady and gentlemen bowlers. The alleys at Lakeview are well patronized during the day and evening especially during the latter time, and bowlers from this city and Nashua together with the people in the suburbs make their way to the lake to enjoy the sport.

The bowling tournament at the Lakeview alleys which commenced Tuesday night with six teams of local players is now well under way and there promises to be some lively contests before the close of the season. The majority of the games during the week were won by small margins and there is intense rivalry among the different teams.

The teams represented in the league are the Fairmounts, Rochambeau council of the Royal Arcanum, Bigelows, Recreations, Princetons and Brownies. It is too early yet to predict which team will win for the players have not as yet got down to very high rolling, but every game sees an increase in the scores.

The standing of the different teams is determined by points, one point being allowed for winning a string and two for the game, there being five points won and lost in every game. At the present time the Bigelows are leading with five points won and none lost. The Fairmounts are second with eight points won and two lost. The Brownies played but one game and won three of the five points while Rochambeau council won two of the five points in their game. The Recreations are fifth with two points won and eight lost and the Princetons are at the bottom of the standing with no points to their credit and five lost.

The best team total during the week, 1226, was put up by the Brownies in their game with the Recreations on Friday night. Dyer of the Brownies made the highest three string total, 268, and McDonald of the Bigelows holds the highest single string total, 104, though Dyer is a close second having made a single string of 102.

The following are the averages of the different players in the league, the abbreviations after the name being the team to which that player belongs: Bi, stands for Bigelows; Fa., Fairmounts; Br., Brownies; Ro, Rochambeau council; Re., Recreations; and Pr., Princetons.

Dyer, Br., 89; Fullerton, Fa., 86; McDonald, Bi, Marsden, Re, and Barry, Br, 84; Lebrun, Ro, 83; Simpson, Re, 82; McKinley, Bi, and Salem, Fa, 81; Gilmond, Re, and Usher, Bi, 80; Moran, Br, Sweeney, Fa, Oullette and Payette, Ro, Hall, Bi, McGrail, Re, and Coleman, Br, 79; Queenan, Fa, Fowler, Fa, and Harrington, Bi, 78; Boucher, Re., 77; Abbott, Fa., 76; Morin, Ro, and Fairweather, Pr, 75; Harper, Pr, 74; Winslen, Fa, and Faucher, Ro, 72; Hutchins, Pr, 71; Gorgan, Pr, 66; and Brown, Pr, 63.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

	Pts. Won	Pts. Lost	P. C.
Bigelows	5	0	1.000
Fairmounts	8	2	.800
Brownies	3	2	.600
Rochambeau	2	3	.400
Recreations	2	8	.200
Princetons	0	5	.000

[illegible] believe now he has a good chance for recovery.

Miss Gertrude Harris has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Frank S. Lovitt of No. 10 Coral street will spend the next two weeks at The Welm.

Mr. Asa C. Russell and family have returned from their trip to the Yellowstone park and report the weather in the park very cold.

Miss Ida M. Poor, accompanied by her neices, Misses Alice and Mary, are at The Mitchell, Long Beach, York, Me.

Mrs. Robinson and Miss Lena Robinson will occupy their cottage at Juniper Point through the month of August.

Miss Kittie Brennan and Miss Anna Mahoney, of 45 Salem street, have gone to Revere beach to spend a few weeks.

Miss F. H. Meyers and Miss A. C. Ekengren of W. P. Brazer & Co.'s have gone to Cottage City, where they will spend a few weeks at the Pawnee house.

Mrs. E. Borden and Miss Eva B. Latrdieson will spend next week at Salem Willows.

Keeper Alfred Holman of the police force, has returned from a trip to England.

Police Sergeant Martin Connors is on his vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris and Miss Dorothy Harris have gone to Randolph, N. H., for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callahan and Miss Callahan are at Revere for a couple of weeks.

Miss Katie Dolan and Maggie Dolan and Kittie McAleer are at Revere beach for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. George Emsley and Misses with friends at Salisbury and Hampton beaches.

Mr. Randal Stewart of Cambridge and Mrs. May Teague and daughter of Charlestown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Maguire of Varney street, yesterday.

Misses Minnie Hill, Kittie Rafferty, Margaret Fox, Bessie Fox, Mamie Hughes and Margaret Hughes are on the rocks at Bass Point, enjoying the refreshing sea breezes.

Miss Josephine Cuff of Moore street is at Crescent beach.

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THE ASSASSINATION OF PLEHVE.

The assassination of Minister Plehve is only what might be expected as the termination of a career in which he was responsible for some of the most despotic measures perpetrated upon the Russian people. He was accused of being the evil genius of the Czar, the man who proposed and offered to carry out the most despotic mandates against the Jews, the Finns and other elements in the empire. If he was instrumental in depriving Finland of her independence, the fate that overtook him was nothing more than he had earned by his official acts.

While assassination is to be discouraged, yet when a people is deprived of liberty, and deprived of the right of free speech, vengeance in this or some other spasmodic form is the only resource left. Such a situation could never obtain in a free country, but where freedom is stamped out and human rights annulled, it is no wonder that the victims of such oppression will seek every practical means of revenge.

SHOT HIMSELF

Dana Admits He Tried to Suicide

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—Having been told that he would almost certainly die within a very short time, but still believing that he will get well, Samuel L. Dana, the young bank clerk found in Central Park last Friday with a bullet wound close to his heart, admitted yesterday that the wound was self-inflicted. Dana's father is on his way here from Fairfield, Iowa and will arrive today.

GENERAL LOCKOUT

MAY FOLLOW STRIKE IN NEW YORK SUBWAY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1—It was said here yesterday that if the members of the unions who are held responsible for the strike in the subway do not adjust matters promptly, a general lockout may be ordered by the Building Trades Employers association to be followed by an attempt to establish an open shop.

At the meeting of the Central Federation union a more conciliatory attitude was adopted.

At the close of the secret session it was announced that a committee had been appointed to bring about an amalgamation of the two painters' unions, the Brotherhood of Painters and the Amalgamated Painters' society whose fight one against the other led to the subway strike.

If the general lockout is ordered between 25,000 and 30,000 men in Greater New York will be affected.

PRES. ROOSEVELT

SPENT A RATHER QUIET SUNDAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Yesterday was excessively hot and the president and Mrs. Roosevelt spent the greater portion of the time away from the White House. Attired in their riding costumes they left the White House in their carriage in the forenoon and returned about 7 o'clock last evening, after a horse back ride to the farm of a friend in Virginia.

After dinner at the White House President and Mrs. Roosevelt spent the evening quietly, though Secretary Wilson called for a short conference with the president.

DOUBLE DROWNING

TWO MEN VENTURED OUT TOO FAR.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 1—A double drowning took place at Oakland Beach, a summer resort eighteen miles from this city late yesterday afternoon. Michael Slavin and John Dean the victims were bathing. Slavin proposed a swim and the two young men started out from the shore. Cries of distress attracted the attention of a companion who remained on the shore. Both men had overestimated their own strength and when their friend plunged into the water to save them he narrowly escaped a like fate.

The bodies were recovered later and were viewed by the medical examiner at ten o'clock last night. Slavin's home is in Boston while Dean recently came here from Colorado. Both men were employed as waiters in the Wellington, a restaurant connected with one of the big department stores of this city.

HERBERT HANSON DROWNED.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Aug. 1.—Herbert Hanson, a painter, 32 years of age, of Saco, was drowned from a yawl here last night. The body was recovered soon afterward. He leaves a wife and child.

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PRODUCTION OF COAL

WHERE OUR SUPPLY COMES FROM IN THIS COUNTRY.

Returns made to the United States Geological Survey show that the United States has again exceeded all previous records in the production of coal. The forthcoming report on the country's coal production, which Mr. E. W. Parker, statistician, will soon make, will show that the total output of the coal mines of this country in 1903 amounted to 359,-421,311 short tons. This is an increase of 57,230,872 short tons, or 19 per cent. over the production of 1902, which amounted to 301,590,439 tons. The production of 1903 was nearly double that of 1893, and more than three times the output of 1883. The increase of production in 1903 over 1902 was equal to the total production of all kinds of coal in 1878, only twenty-five years ago.

Large and significant as was the increase in the amount of coal produced, the increase in the value of the product was still more noticeable. The value of the coal product at the mines in 1903 amounted to $506,190,733, which, compared with the value of the output in 1902 ($367,-032,069), shows an increase of $139,158,664, or nearly 38 per cent. The percentage of increase in value was almost exactly double that of the increase in production, a significant fact which social scientists may interpret as they please.

Of the total production in 1903, 74,313,909 short tons (66,351,712 long tons) represent Pennsylvania anthracite, valued at $152,-036,448. This is in contrast to the production of 1902, when the output was curtailed by the prolonged strike in the anthracite regions and reached only 41,-373,596 short tons (36,940,710 long tons), value at $76,173,586. The increase in anthracite production in 1903 over the production of the previous year was 32,-940,324 short tons (29,411,002 long tons), or nearly 80 per cent. in quantity, and $75,-862,862, or nearly 100 per cent in value. The production of bituminous coal (which includes lignite, or brown coal, semi-anthracite, semi-bituminous and cannel coal, and scattering lots of anthracite) amounted to 285, 107,392 short tons, valued at $354,154,285, which, as compared with 1902, when the production was 260,216,844 short tons, valued at $290,858,483, shows an increase of 24,890,548 short tons, or a little over 9 per cent in quantity, and of $63,-295,802, or a little less than 22 per cent. in value.

From this it appears that 57 per cent. of the total increase in production, and 54 pr cent. of the increase in value was due to the return of normal conditions in the anthracite fields of Pennsylvania. The average price for a ton of bituminous coal, which is obtained by dividing the total value by the total product, was $1.24 for a short ton in 1903 and $1.12 in 1902. The average price of a ton of anthracite coal was $2.05 in 1903, as against $1.84 in 1902.

Coal Production of the United States in 1903 by States.

State	Total. Product	Total. Value.
Alabama	11,832,124	$ 14,374,746
Arkansas	2,298,533	3,372,536
California and Alaska	105,020	306,118
Colorado	7,639,208	9,159,810
Georgia and N. C.	434,260	546,759
Idaho	4,250	13,250
Illinois	37,206,667	43,559,991
Indiana	10,995,812	13,367,859
Indian Territory	3,517,388	6,386,463
Iowa	6,552,686	11,304,678
Kansas	5,867,218	8,930,271
Kentucky	7,431,016	7,877,332
Maryland	4,783,053	7,081,153
Michigan	1,410,909	2,787,742
Missouri	4,308,332	6,913,411
Montana	1,595,656	2,472,823
New Mexico	1,543,466	2,105,655
North Dakota	301,105	456,315
Ohio	25,004,809	32,195,275
Oregon	91,144	221,031
Pennsylvania	103,271,037	121,832,509
Tennessee	4,797,316	5,978,555
Texas	926,759	1,505,383
Utah	1,681,409	2,026,058
Virginia	3,511,307	3,365,149
Washington	3,106,273	5,381,939
West Virginia	30,290,408	34,758,490
Wyoming	4,700,303	5,916,951
Total bituminous	285,107,392	354,154,285
Penn. anthracite	74,313,919	152,036,448
Grand total	359,421,311	$506,190,733

Of the thirty states and territories which contributed to the output in 1903, increased production over 1902 was shown in all but four. Two of those in which the production decreased were among the eastern states, Maryland and Georgia, and two were in the Rocky Mountain region of Colorado and Montana. The greatest decrease was shown by Maryland and was probably due to the largely increased output of Pennsylvanian anthracite. Colorado's production fell off only 32,470 tons, notwithstanding the fact that mining operations were seriously affected by labor troubles. There was only one state, Georgia, in which the value of the production was less than in 1902.

The Old Orchard excursion via the Boston & Maine railroad is on August 11th. The round trip rate is $1.50.

LOU DILLON BETTER.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 1.—The condition of Lou Dillon, the trotting mare, who was taken suddenly ill Saturday afternoon was greatly improved last night and the horse is now believed to be out of danger. Her temperature has been reduced from 104 to 102 and is decreasing gradually. She was under the care of the veterinarians all Saturday night and yesterday.

MAN DROWNED.

LEWISTON, Me., Aug. 1—Samuel Robitaille of this city was drowned at Lake Auburn last night by the upsetting of a boat. Robitaille's body has not been recovered.

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MANSLAUGHTER

Serious Charge Against Thomas Sweeney

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 1.—As the result of a quarrel between Thomas Sweeney, 33, and Edmund Bourgeois, 63, both woodchoppers in West Gloucester, yesterday afternoon, the older man sustained injuries from which he died almost instantly and Sweeney is under arrest at the town lockup on a charge of manslaughter. Bourgeois accused Sweeney of having improper relations with his wife and the two men came to blows. The younger man being the more powerful of the two got the better of his antagonist and left Bourgeois lying by the roadside. The man was dead when found by a neighbor. Sweeney was later arrested by the town officers, and was both surprised and alarmed to find that Bourgeois was dead. After his arrest Sweeney said that he struck Bourgeois in self-defense and denied that his conduct with the older man's wife had been anything but proper.

Medical Examiner Harris of Chapachet viewed the remains and found but few bruises on the body. He was unable to determine the exact cause of death. The case was reported to Coroner Frank Davis of Gloucester and an inquest ordered.

TROLLEYS COLLIDED

AND TWENTY-THREE PEOPLE WERE INJURED.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 1.—Twenty-three persons were hurt as the result of a rear end collision yesterday between two trolley cars on the shore line of the Cleveland, Eastern & Painesville railroad near Nottingham, O. Except Mrs. John Heinrich, who is said to be badly hurt, the other passengers sustained only minor bruises.

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The exhibits of art by the world's greatest masters; the exhibit in anthropology of specimens of various races from almost every section of the earth; the foreign cities, so faithfully reproduced, particularly the Filipino exhibit; the historical relics; the handsome buildings of the foreign countries; the Plateau of States where each state has its representation; the great modern mechanical devices and machinery; the grand figures sculptured in plastic art; the artificial lagoons and rivers; the grand festival hall and cascades; the beautiful landscape gardening and the architectural beauty of the buildings make the St. Louis exposition a small world of inconceivable magnificence and beauty.

To get a fair idea of the exposition, its displays, etc., also the routes and rates going from New England, send to the Boston & Maine railroad for the delightfully illustrated booklet containing 40 pages of interesting reading matter. This book will be sent free to any address. Just drop a postal to the General Passenger Department, Boston & Maine Railroad, Boston, and it will be mailed to you.

HANGED HERSELF

AFTER QUARRELLING WITH HER HUSBAND.

CAMBRIDGE, Aug. 1—After locking out of doors her husband with whom she had quarrelled, Mrs. Minnie Douglas of 265 River street, Cambridgeport last night, ended her life by hanging. When the husband succeeded in forcing an entrance to the house he found the woman dead.

PAID $80,000

MOTHER WANTED QUIT CLAIM DEED ON HER CHILDREN.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Aug. 1.—Interest in the suit for divorce of Mrs. Fenton P. Finch, a Virginia heiress, has been intense. The testimony, now complete, was closely followed and the decision is anxiously awaited by friends of the Finches here.

During the trial Mr. Finch was asked if his brother was not about to sue him for $5000, claimed for having "worked up" the marriage between Finch and Miss Martha A. Melson, the Newport News heiress. The 10-year-old daughter of the Finches produced on the witness stand a rawhide, which she said her father had used on her mother after a scene when her mother had declined to sign some papers.

"Didn't you telephone your wife no later than last Saturday night," Finch was asked, "that if she would give you a certain piece of property in Newport News, estimated to be worth $25,000, that you would not appear in this case today?"

"I said I would consider the matter," replied Mr. Finch.

"What do you mean by 'consider' when you opened the conversation?" continued the questioner.

"I was merely following my attorneys' instructions," said the witness.

"Didn't your wife ask you if she was to understand that the $25,000 was the additional value you placed on the children?" asked the attorney for the plaintiff.

"I don't remember," was the reply.

Finch had previously received $80,000 from his wife, which appeared by the testimony to have been for a quitclaim on the children.

AUTOISTS AT NIAGARA.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 1—The Boston-St. Louis automobile tourists who arrived here Saturday, yesterday made a trip to Niagara Falls. In the morning they resumed their journey westward. James L. Breeze, a New York lawyer, joined the party here, in a forty horse power machine having been shipped to him here. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Richards of Boston who came on from that city with the tourists are returning home by train. Barney Oldfield was in Buffalo yesterday and expected to accompany the tourists as far as Erie, Pa., this morning.

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SOME FISHERMEN

Sergt. Crowley Leads in Police Department

HONORS EVEN BETWEEN PATTEE AND DELMAGE

Places Where Some of Them Fish

The fishing season is now at its height and although the ponds and rivers roundabout do not abound in trout or salmon, there are other fish that dwell therein, not so gamey as the speckled beauties, but large enough and sufficiently active to give the fishermen an interesting argument.

As the fishing season drew near there was talk of fish all over town and some great stories were told at the police station and at city hall. There are some very enthusiastic fishermen in the employ of the city and every day brings its quota of fish stories. Fishing trips are much resorted to by the police as means of recreation pending the time when they can get away upon their vacations and the same may be said of the attachees at city hall.

The ponds, lakes and rivers where the Lowell fishermen drown their worms are within easy reaching distance of this city. There is more or less fishing at Lakeview and white and yellow perch, bass, pickerel and pout, of goodly dimensions live there. The same fish are found in Mud and Long ponds in Dracut.

Mud and Simms' ponds in Tewksbury, are well supplied with pickerel and pout and these fish are also found in Nabnasset pond, West Chelmsford, Long Sought For pond in Westford, Knobbs' pond in Littleton, Dutton's pond, Billerica, Crystal Lake, North Chelmsford, and at Forge Village. Great pond at Andover offers white perch and bass as an inducement to the fishermen.

In the tributaries of the Shawsheen river the angler looks for trout and some good catches have been made of late. Large pickerel and perch have been taken from the Shawsheen.

Sergt. Jack Crowley is the king fisherman of the police department and at city hall it is a toss up between City Messenger Pattee and Janitor Delmage. Officer Billy McLoughrey doesn't take a back seat for any of them and his brother Tom has an otter that he brought with him from the old country and if the laws and regulations but permitted the use of the otter, Tom could make them all look like wooden money.

Then there's Henry Somers, Billy Burnett, Peter Corcoran and others. The last tussle Peter had was with a tin can at the reservoir. His hook connected with the can and the can was fast in the mud. Peter thought that a little whale had grabbed his hook and he pulled for dear life. Peter, needless to say, was disgusted when he pulled in the can.

Sergt. Crowley is an ardent angler. Let anybody suggest a fishing trip and he will drop his cares as a school boy drops his books to go a-swimming. Landlord Holen of the Lowell Inn is as skilful as he is earnest and Sergt. Crowley is his choice for a partner. Whether it is the agile trout which rises to a fly or the big pickerel that takes a bait on a troll, Mr. Holen says you can count on Sergt. Crowley landing his fish. Some of the men who are not especially approachable in their official capacity are very sociable fellows on a fishing trip.

City Messenger Pattee hies him to New Hampshire when he goes a-fishing and Joe generally returns with a large string of fish and a larger string of stories. "Joe" has been fishing in New Hampshire within the last few weeks and he caught several hundred trout that averaged three pounds each. Joe can cast a fly with any of them and he is the soul of dignity. Joe can tell by looking at a pool if the fishing is good and he is considered "bang up" authority in New Hampshire.

Billy Delmage is addicted to deep sea fishing. The habit of angling has grown upon him to such an extent that ordinary sport does not satisfy his cravings any longer.

It is a fearful and wonderful sight to see the little janitor standing braced in the boat, battling with an immense tarpon, and when he has landed his victim he wears the look of a conqueror at the close of a battle. The city has other fishermen whose names will be mentioned later.

HIDING IN SWAMP

Posse of Citizens Have Murderers Surrounded

PORTAGE, Pa., Aug. 1.—Pursued by 800 determined citizens, the three men who murdered Charles Hays, driver, and perhaps fatally wounded Patrick F. Campbell, paymaster for the Puritan Coal company, about a mile south of this place Saturday, are hiding in Cedar swamp, about seven miles from Portage. One of the fugitives is injured, but not enough to affect his flight.

In parties of about 20, the pursuing men are scattered along the entire county boundary of the laurel thicket and swamp, which is 12 miles long and seven wide.

Last night the number of searchers was still increasing. The search was continued all night and pickets are out watching every road leading from the thickets where the three men sought refuge. Hundreds of others are forcing their way through the interior of the dense undergrowth. The gang is now believed to be following one of the numerous paths leading toward Hollidaysburg.

ALTAR ABLAZE

FIRE CAUGHT FROM A SANCTUARY LAMP.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—A lace drapery blowing against a sanctuary lamp caused a fire in the church of St. Rocco on 33rd street, near 3d avenue, South Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon, and had it not been for the timely arrival of the fire engines the edifice would have been destroyed.

The fire was discovered by a member of the congregation. The breeze from an open window had fanned the lace over toward the sanctuary lamp the little wick inside ignited it, and soon the whole altar was ablaze.

The worshipers ran out screaming. A man turned in an alarm, while others tried to extinguish the fire. The blazing lace was torn down and trampled upon, but the woodwork of the altar had caught fire, and the flames were making much headway when the firemen arrived on the scene.

In the meantime many members of the congregation rushed into the burning church and brought out the priest's vestments and the altar articles that were in the vestry and took them to a place of safety. Rev. Fr. John Presada, pastor of the church, directed the moving of the valuables, and going himself into the sacristy carried out the host. The damage is estimated at $1000.

Round Trip Ticket Good for One Beach Show 75 Cents

REVERE, THURSDAY, AUG. 4

Ho! For the Beach

Special Electrics to Beach 7 a. m., Merrimack Square

Tickets for Sale at Murphy's, 18 Appleton Street

VON PLEHVE BURIAL

Impressive Services Over Dead Minister's Remains

ST. PETERSBURG, August 1.—M. Von Plheve, the minister of the interior, who was assassinated Thursday morning last, was buried yesterday and in every city and hamlet of this vast empire, church bells were tolled and masses and prayers said for the repose of the soul of the murdered minister. The services here which were according to the rites of the orthodox church, were of an impressive and imposing character. At 11 o'clock in the morning high mass was said in the stately chapel adjoining the ministry of the interior. Emperor Nicholas and the dowager empress stood with the broken-hearted widow and the children of the minister at the foot of the great mound of flowers, on which rested the casket. To the right, on gold-embroidered cushions, before a mass of wreaths banked to the ceiling, were ranged the decorations which had been worn by the statesman during his notable career. To the left were the metropitan of St. Petersburg and the officiating bishops and priests in their gold-emblazoned vestments. A screen of flowers concealed the famous imperial boys' choir.

Among those present were other members of the imperial family, the foreign representatives, including Spencer Eddy, charge d'affaires of the American embassy, ministers of the empire, generals, admirals, nobles, governors of distant provinces, like those of Astrakhan and Irkutsk—in fact all high officialdom, not even omitting Genghizz Khan, a lineal descendant of the Napoleon of Asia, who is now a major general in the Russian service.

The entire assemblage was in full uniform, and on the arm of each one present was a badge of mourning. All held lighted tapers throughout the service and the air was heavy with the perfume of flowers and incense from the censers.

At the most solemn moment, when all knelt and many were affected by tears, the widow was overcome and fainted. The emperor came to her assistance and she was carried out by gentle hands.

The emperor was visibly moved and upon the conclusion of the mass, he followed the casket which was taken upon the shoulders of the ministers and borne down the broad marble staircase to the street. There the funeral procession was formed and the body was placed in a great white, open hearse, drawn by six coal black horses, which were blanketed from their ears to their tails in sombre trappings of woe. A black-garbed groom stood at each bridle and in advance went 16 similarly clad lantern-bearers. Behind the hearse walked the members of the minister's family, and then came a long and distinguished body of mourners, it being the Russian custom to follow the dead to the grave on foot.

The emperor himself walked a short distance, but as the Novodevichy monastery, where the burial took place, was over five miles and also because of the condition of the empress, his majesty soon entered his carriage and returned to the Peteshof palace.

At the end of the procession came four white chariots, filled with the floral offerings. The cortege proceeded slowly through the avenues and streets preceded by a squadron of mounted police, and passed within sight of the place where the tragedy occurred. The sidewalks along the route were crowded, but the lines of police kept the streets clear near the curbs. As the body passed every head was uncovered and thousands crossed themselves.

The monastery stands on a plain beyond the Narva gates, and at these gates, fully fifty thousand persons were gathered.

After a burial service in the church, the body was interred in the adjoining cemetery, where the remains of many of Russia's greatest men repose, and at a point within a stone's throw of the grave of M. Siplaguine, who was M. Von Plehve's predecessor, and who also fell by the hand of an assassin less than two years ago.

The murderer of M. Von Plehve has been removed from the hospital to the Wyborisky prison.

The police know the alias under which he traveled, but say they are not yet satisfied regarding his identity, and decline to reveal the alias on the ground that it might defeat the ends of justice.

There is no longer any doubt that the police for some time have had knowledge of the existence of a plot by a band of international anarchists in Paris and Vienna. The leading conspirator, it is said, was a man whom the Russian government tried to extradite from Paris last fall. Some of these conspirators arrived here a week ago and the police thought that all of them had been taken into custody.

The far-reaching character of the machinery of the ministry of the interior and the urgent necessity for dealing with many pending matters render it imperative that the emperor select a successor to M. Von Plehve immediately, and it is considered certain that he will do so this week. Influences hostile to M. Witte, president of the council of ministers, in spite of his acknowledged ability and the general belief that he is the man for the position, seem to render his appointment increasingly improbable. Prince Svlatopolk-Mirsky, governor-general of Vilna, Gordno and Kovno, is now prominently mentioned, together with M. Muravieff, minister of justice, Lieutenant General Kleigel, governor-general of Kieff, Podolia and Volhynia, and Prince John Obolensky, governor general of Finland.

SOME SIGHTS WE'D LIKE TO SEE

WITH THORNWAY DOING SOME FAST MILES AND PEACHERING FULL OF PROMISE, LOWELL MAY YET BOAST OF A WORLD'S CHAMPION ON THE TURF.

BOLD BURGLARY

Yeggman Stole a Safe on Stolen Wagon

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—All over Boston the police are searching for the band of four despate yeggmen who early yesterday morning carried off a 500-pound safe containing money and jewelry from the house of Julius Snyder, at 263 East Ninth street, South Boston.

The police assert that no such daring and cleverly executed robbery has been known in Boston since the famous safe breaking in East Boston last winter, which was followed by a pitched battle with the police on the East Boston marshes.

The South Boston yeggmen on Sunday morning first stole a wagon, then stole the safe and loaded it on the wagon, hauled the latter to a lonely point on the Strandway, about a third of a mile away, wrecked the safe and secured the contents, after which they abandoned the wagon, and disappeared.

With drawn revolvers and clubs, ready to jump into the expected battle with the yeggmen, should they meet them, the police of four stations started out to scour the Dorchester Bay water front during the early morning hours yesterday, but the cleverness and quickness of the yeggmen, aided by the start they had secured, enabled them to escape.

The police got a general idea of the direction in which the robbers had escaped by following the tracks made by the wagon in which the safe had been carried away.

This trail showed that the yeggmen had made for the Strandway, and the police lost no time in following it up.

Later developments showed that after the robbers had wrecked the safe they could have had only a very short time for getting away before the police appeared on the scene.

The robbers selected that section of the Strandway at the foot of Locust street for their operations on the safe, and people in the vicinity were aroused from their slumbers by the noise of the sledge and crowbar with which it was smashed. In fact, some curious ones were on their way to the place when the police came in sight. These people caught sight of two of the men as they disappeared in the direction of Dorchester.

When the police reached the spot they found the ruins of the safe, and near was the stolen democrat wagon.

Rushing in the direction taken by the yeggmen the police scoured the vacant lots, barns and boat-houses in the vicinity, expecting every second to bring the robbers to bay.

All expected a desperate battle if the robbers were encountered, and the police of station 12, under Sergeant Allison, were prepared for an encounter that might even eclipse the famous yeggmen fight on the East Boston marshes last year.

After six hours of searching Sergeant Allison, Patrolmen Mernin, Clifford, Cronin and Quirk of division 12 who led the man hunt, returned to that station without having found the robbers. Later a general alarm was sent out, and all day yesterday and last night the police all over the city were searching for the desperadoes.

ST. JOHN'S PICNIC

At Nabnasset Was a Grand Success

BIGGEST GATHERING OF MANY YEARS

A Fine Program of Sports Was Presented

The greatest picnic held at Nabnasset pond in many years was that

JOHN E. HARRINGTON.

held on Saturday by St. John's parish of North Chelmsford at which 1000 persons had a jolly time. The picnic had been postponed one week on account of the weather and the postponement did more good than harm for it brought about not only an ideal day but an increased sale of tickets. A special train left Lowell for the West Chelmsford station and on its way the train stopped at Middlesex Village and North Chelmsford. From each place the train stopped at large crowd came to the picnic. When the picnic train arrived at the West Chelmsford station, some of the people rode in barges to the grove, while others walked. After the people from Lowell, Middlesex Village and North Chelmsford had left the train, the train went up to Graniteville and Forge Village and returned shortly afterwards with a good sized delegation from those two places.

It was one of the good old-fashioned picnics that the boys and girls of a generation ago used to look forward to for weeks each year and there was every kind of an attraction there.

The North Chelmsford band, Mr. Herbert Bearce, leader, furnished music throughout the day and the music was much appreciated.

The big event of the afternoon was a baseball game between the Middlesex Village team and the Crescents of Lowell. It was a red-hot game, for each team tried hard to win, and the Crescents carried off the laurels of victory, for the final score stood 5 to 4 in their favor.

There was some kicking on some of Umpire Crawford's decisions, especially in the ninth inning, when he called one of the Crescent players safe at first, while the Middlesex players claimed the man was out. Manager Wood of the Middlesex team intends to protest the game.

The batting order of each team was as follows:

Crescents—Simmons, ss; Phinney 1b; Cowdrey, cf; Russell, lf; Murphy, 3b; Kearns and McCarty, p; O'Brien, 2b; Donovan, c; Mullen, rf.

Middlesex Village—Laporte, lf; Pease, cf; Sheridan, c; Perry, 2b; Twohey, 3b; Hunt, ss; Blanchard, p; Boudreau, rf; Larkin, 1b.

Umpire—George Crawford of Lowell. Score by innings:

Crescents	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	—5
Middlesex	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	—4

After the baseball game the other sports took place, and the winners were as follows:

100-yard dash, J. Gauthier first, Dan Nolan second.

75-yard race for boys, Edward White first, Joseph St. Peter second.

One-half mile race, A. C. Walker first, Charles Connolly second.

100 yd three-legged race, Dan Nolan and Jerry Donovan first, William Pope and Edward White second.

1-mile boat race, Lawrence Kinch and Walter Gaudette first, William Pope and James Riley second.

Money was offered for prizes in all the races except for the first prize in one-half mile race, and the prize for this event was a costly gold medal, which was given by Representative John J. McManmon of the 25th district.

The Eureka orchestra furnished music for dancing and the pavilion was well patronized both afternoon and evening. Dinner and refreshments of all kinds were served in the dining room with Mr. Merritt as the head chef.

Both Rev. Edmund T. Schofield, pastor and Rev. John McNamara of St. John's church were present and were much pleased with the affair.

At 10 o'clock the picnic train blew the whistle for home and the picnickers tired but happy clambered aboard completely satisfied with their day's fun.

The officers of the picnic were as follows: General manager, John E. Harrington; assistant, James P. Quigley; floor director, Stephen T. Ward; assistant, John J. Curry; chief aid, James W. Ward; aids, William E. O'Neil, James H. McCoy, James W. O'Connell, Thomas H. Larkin, Michael McGlinchey, Frank B. McCluskey, John T. O'Connell, Edward Doherty, Daniel E. Haley; committee on sports, James B. McQuaid, chairman; William H. Quigley, secretary; Samuel P. Seymour, John P. Garney, Thomas H. Murphy, John H. McEnaney; committee of arrangements, John F. McManomin, chairman; James P. Quigley, secretary; Patrick McMahon, treasurer; restaurant committee, James P. Donnigan, chairman; assistants, Mrs. John McEnaney, Mrs. John Sherlock, Mrs. Nellie Reinmes, Mrs. Maggie Quigley, Mrs. Patrick Lowe, Mrs. Sallie O'Neil, Mrs. Maggie Finnegan, Mrs. John Ryan, Mrs. Henry Leake, Mrs. Owen McNally, Mrs. Mary Welch, Mrs. Daniel Doherty, Mrs. Lucy Gaudette, Mrs. John Monahan, Mrs. Frank Mallorey, Misses Ellen Harrington, Josie McCabe, Katie Daley, Josie Hogan, Mary McMahon, Mary Corrigan, Mary McGrath, Sarah Dunn, Bridget McGlinchey, Maggie McManomin, Mary Monahan, Hannah Cummings, Rose Connolly, Alice Riney, Minnie McManomin, Loretta Ward, Rosella Monahan, Rosanna McManomin, Lizzie Donnigan, Ellen Kerins, Mary Ready, Alice McEnaney, Fanny Corrigan.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of Du Pont, Ga. "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, 217 Central street. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

Old Orchard excursion on August 11th via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

McMANUS' PICNIC

FINAL ORDER FOR CHILDREN'S DAY AT MOUNTAIN ROCK.

The third annual picnic for the poor children of Lowell, organized by Constable John McManus, will be held at Mountain Rock, Aug. 3rd. The cars will leave Merrimack square for the grove at 9 o'clock.

There will be 4000 souvenirs given out by the Bon Marche at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning. The souvenir is a picture of the children's friend, John McManus.

There will be sports for the children, for which suitable prizes will be given.

I hope that mothers will instruct their children to keep away from the water, for there is plenty of room for them to play on the grounds, and also tell them, when dinner is served to conduct themselves in an orderly manner and take their places in rotation.

The children do not need to be at the square before 8.30; I noticed last year some of them were up all night. Mothers, do not wake your children before 7.30. They will have plenty of time.

I hope there will be none other than poor children given tickets. If others have tickets, they will please return them to the poor. I noticed at my last two picnics a great many children who could afford to take a picnic, as their parents are able to furnish them money.

It has taken me about seven weeks to get this picnic up, and I thank one and all who have helped me to make it a success.

I would like some young ladies to give their services to waiting on the children. There will be a special car for the band and waiters.

The following contributions have been made:

Special cars—Patrick Gilbride, 2 cars; Derby & Morse, 1 car; Purchasing Agent James E. Donnelly, 1 car; Alderman James J. Gallagher, 1 car; Alderman Wm. H. Wilson, 1 car; Representative John J. Pinder, 1 car; Representative Fred J. Timmons, 1 car; Representative John J. McManmon, 1 car; Peter H. Savage, 1 car; Frank E. McNabb, 1 car; Kelley & Gallagher, 1 car; The Merrimack Clothing Co., 1 car; Standard Supply Co., 1 car; J. F. McCarney, 1 car; Bell Shoe & Clothing Co., 1 car; Talbot Clothing Co., 1 car; James H. McCafferty, 2 cars; James B. Casey, 1 car; Senator James H. McKinley, 1 car; A. Rhodes, hairdresser, 1 car; Patrick F. Welch, 1 car; Harry L. Timmons, 1 car; Peter J. Brady, 1 car; Cook, & Taylor, 1 car; Eagle Credit Co., 1 car; Thomas J. McDermott, 1 car; E. D. Shadduck Co., 1 car; J. P. O'Connor & Co., 1 car; Charles H. Joyce, 1 car; A. Rhodes, 1000 bags of candy.

Rev. F. Dorgan, $5; Rev. Fr. Ronan, $5; Rev. Fr. O'Brien, $5; Rev. Fr. Mangin, $3; Rev. C. E. Fisher, $2; Rev. Geo. F. Kenngott, $2; Mayor Charles E. Howe, $5; Alderman James J. Hill, $5; Frank E. Putnam, $5; Deputy Sheriff Alvah S. Baker, $5; Robertson & Co., $5; John Lennon, $5; Elias McA. Quade, $5; Lowell Packing & Provision Co., $5; M. A. Gage, $5; Andrew C. Wheelock, $5; P. J. Riley, $5; Albert Pinder, $5; George Dempsey, $5; Edmund Conant, $5; Harvard Brewing Co., $5; Daniel J. Murphy, $5; A. G. Pollard $5; Roy & O'Heir, $2; John J. Saunders, $2; George Walker, $2; American Jewelry Mfg. Co., $2; Representative Wm. E. Westall, $2; Frost & Lyle, $2; Andrew F. Burns, $2; George J. Kearns, $2; Thomas Kelley, $2; M. Daughty, $2; C. M. Dickey, $2; Wm. W. Murphy, $2; Erwin A. Wilson & Co., $2; F. J. Donnelly, $2; Bernard Callahan, $2; Eugene A. Shea, $2; M. W. Holloran, $2; T. E. Lennon, $2; Percy Parker, $2; Napoleon Goyette, $2; Mrs. Plunkett, $2.00; Dr. P. E. Sullivan, $2.00; Chas. F. Carr, $2.00; Peter H. Watson, $2.00; Donovan & Co., $2.00; C. F. McFarland, $2.00; R. H. Casey, $2.00; Conway Transfer Co., $2.00; J. O'Donnell, $2.00; Edward T. Cushing, $2.00; John H. Callahan, $2.00; John H. Donnelly, $2.00; Arthur J. Cummiskey, $2.00; Thomas C. Lawler, $2.00; Orthello C. Davis, $2.00; Charles H. Kimball, $2.00; James McDermott, $2.00; C. E. Guthrie & Son, $2.00; F. J. Davis, $2.00; Maurice O'Donnell, $2.00; Andrew Pendergrass, $2.00; A. E. O'Heir, $2.00; T. Costello & Co., $2.00; C. F. Keyes, $2.00; T. F. Hoban, $2.00; Cary & Brady, $2.00; J. H. Donnelly & Co., $2.00; Cornelius Collins, $2.00; J. F. Murphy & Co., $2.00; Patrick Tierney, $2.00; Carle Brothers, $2.00; Charles Marin, $2.00; John E. Drury, $2.00; Michael J. Garvey & Co., $2.00; Eliene Bibeault, $2.00; William S. Grady, $2.00; Harry Noyes, $2.00; Edward Cawley, $2.00; Wm. Cawley, $2.00; F. M. Till & Co., $2.00; Daniel Sullivan, $2.00; Fred H. Roarke, $2.00; Anthon Conley, $2.00; Thomas Mahoney, $2.00; James Burtwell, $2.00; Samuel Scott, $2.00; Patrick O'Hearn, $2.00; Thomas Ramsey, $2.00.

Prizes—Noyes & Dewar Co., one boy's suit, to be selected from stock, for one hundred yard dash.

James Gray, Manager of Basket Ball Game, one basket ball.

Young lady's gold ring given by John McManus, Jr.

Wm. F. Brazer, boy's mask.

Thomas Kelley, the retired pawn broker, one punching bag and set of gloves.

W. H. Hawes, opera glasses.

Supt. Lees says in case the children's picnic being postponed it cannot be run the following day and must wait till Friday as the "Ho! for the Beach" picnic will be all the company can handle on Thursday.

Get ready for the excursion on August 11th to Old Orchard via the Boston & Maine railroad. The round trip rate is $1.50.

PERSONALS

Mr. Charles H. Snowman of Lincoln square, has just returned from making an enjoyable tour of the Maine beaches.

Mr. John R. Corson of North Billerica, has gone to New Brunswick for two weeks with friends and relatives.

Mr. Ralph Corson has gone to New Sharon, Me., for two weeks, visiting Mr. Edgar Corson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunlson of Lowell, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Burke at their summer home at Barton, Vt.

Mrs. Winifred Fallon and daughter, Marie, of Meadowcroft street, leave for Pittsburg, Pa., today to spend a month with relatives.

Mr. Harry A. Hopkins has gone for a two weeks' trip to the world's fair at St. Louis, and will stop over at Niagara Falls and Chicago.

Miss Amelia Howard is spending a part of her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Woodard, in Hudson, Mass.

Miss Elizabeth Sullivan and Miss Mary E. Crowley of Lincoln street, and Miss Josephine Cuff of Moore street, and Miss Mary E. Wood of Meadowcroft street, leave today for a two weeks' vacation at Revere and other beaches along the northern shore.

The families of Mr. James McElhoim and Mr. Patrick Bresnahan are to spend the month of August at Cape Cod, where they have a cottage.

The Sisters of St. Mary, of the Sacred Heart convent on Moore street, leave Thursday for their annual retreat at Lockport, N. Y.

F. W. Stanley has returned from a three weeks' trip to Westminster, Vt.

Mrs. Sponey of Third street has gone to visit friends and relatives in New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Katherine McKeon, cashier at Gilbride's department store, will spend her vacation as the guest of her uncle in Lewiston, Me. Before returning she will pay a visit to Old Orchard.

Miss Mary A. Murphy and Mrs. William Bruce are visiting at Winter Harbor, Me. They are stopping at Grind Stone Inn.

Mrs. Laura P. Jordan, Frederic W. Jordan and the Misses Marguerite and Dorothy Jordan have gone to South Wellfleet, as the guests of Mrs. Jennie Runnels, for the summer.

Mrs. Emma Radcliffe, Miss Daisy and Charles Radcliffe and Miss Lida Hurd are at the Central house, Juniper Point, for two weeks.

Miss Mary D. Mason is at Juniper Point for two weeks.

Miss Harriet A. Nichols of Appleton street has returned from Newport, Vt.

R. S. Chase has gone on a two weeks' trip through the hills of New Hampshire.

Rev. Robert F. True, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, started today for Northfield to attend the annual conference of the Christian Workers. He will be absent about two weeks. Mrs. True has been at Northfield for the last four weeks.

Mrs. Osmond Long and Mrs. Joseph Fielding, jr., with their children will spend the next three weeks at Salisbury beach.

Miss Nellie Rawnsley is at Salisbury beach for three weeks.

Miss Queenie Brimigion of Bleachery street will spend the next two months in Maine.

A letter from Rev. Fr. Dorgan in Ireland states that he visited the home of the late lagnented Fr. Joyce and later visited the home of his own parents in the county Kerry.

Miss Minnie Blanchard of Moore street is visiting with relatives in Newfoundland until November.

Miss Alice Welch is spending her vacation at her former home in St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Smith will spend August in the White mountains.

Arthur Fernald, who was struck by a shifting engine and seriously injured in the Salem freight yards, Thursday morning, is reported so much improved at the Salem hospital that his physicians believe now he has a good chance for recovery.

Miss Gertrude Harris has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Frank S. Loylit of No. 10 Coral street will spend the next two weeks at The Weirs.

Mr. Asa C. Russell and family have returned from their trip to the Yellowstone park and report the weather in the park very cold.

Miss Ida M. Poor, accompanied by her neices, Misses Alice and Mary, are at The Mitchell, Long Beach, York, Me.

Mrs. Robinson and Miss Lena Robinson will occupy their cottage at Juniper Point through the month of August.

Miss Kittie Brennan and Miss Anna Mahoney, of 45 Salem street, have gone to Revere beach to spend a few weeks.

Miss F. H. Meyers and Miss A. C. Elcegren of W. F. Brazer & Co.'s have gone to Cottage City, where they will spend a few weeks at the Pawnee house.

Mrs. E. Borden and Miss Eva B. Leirdieson will spend next week at Salem Willows.

Keeper Alfred Holman of the police force, has returned from a trip to England.

Police Sergeant Martin Connors is on his vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Harris and Miss Dorothy Harris have gone to Randolph, N. H., for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callahan and Miss Callahan are at Revere for a couple of weeks.

Miss Katie Dolan and Maggie Dolan and Kittie McAleer are at Revere beach for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. George Emsley and Misses Mabel, Minnie and Anna Emsley are enjoying their summer vacation with Mrs. J. W. Gregg at her cottage at Hough's Neck.

Miss Hazel V. Chamberlain is wearing a beautiful ring awarded her grace and skill in dancing at Canobie Lake.

Mrs. Daniel Lawlor of Centralville starts today to spend the next two weeks with friends at Salisbury and Hampton beaches.

Mr. Randal Stewart of Cambridge and Mrs. May Tengue and daughter of Charlestown were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Maguire of Varney street, yesterday.

Misses Minnie Hill, Kittie Rafferty, Margaret Fox, Bessie Fox, Mamie Hughes and Margaret Hughes are on the rocks at Bass Point, enjoying the refreshing sea breezes.

Miss Josephine Cuff of Moore street is at Crescent beach.

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6.48	8.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.38	7.40	7.34	8.52
a6.43	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	a6.50	9.37
ea7.24	8.10	9.20	9.57
a7.31	8.50	a10.00	10.37
7.48	8.35	a10.17	11.34
a7.52	10.05	a11.30	12.07
8.50	9.46	12.00	12.56
9.22	10.20	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.05	1.15	1.52
ea11.43	12.25	2.00	3.01
a12.14	1.00	e3.00	3.27
1.40	2.50	3.30	4.05
ea1.56	2.39	a3.47	5.00
ea3.47	4.30	4.14	5.30
ea4.03	4.48	e5.00	5.37
4.25	5.30	5.38	6.24
ea5.22	6.15	a5.47	6.54
5.44	7.00	6.14	7.30
ea6.12	6.55	e7.30	8.06
ea7.23	8.10	e8.30	9.08
8.42	9.35	10.30	11.34
		11.30	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.50	7.60	7.00	8.51
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.37	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.05
12.05	1.27	2.15	3.20
12.45	1.55	3.30	4.50
2.35	3.34	4.35	5.49
3.10	4.05	6.04	7.05
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.47
5.05	6.40	8.30	10.05
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9.15	10.20		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.26	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.24	12.00	1.00
3.55	4.52	5.00	6.25
5.30	6.34	3.40	9.40
6.45	9.41		

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s8.30	10.15	1.00	1.57
s3.25	4.30	5.00	5.50
s5.29	6.30	e7.30	8.08
e6.12	8.55	e8.30	9.08
e7.29	8.10	9.00	10.02

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Merrimack River Savings bank, 417 Middlesex St. The next quarter begins Saturday, August 6th.

Miss Nora Cusack of Crowley street will spend the month of August with relatives in Keene, N. H.

REMOVAL

The New York and Boston Despatch Express Co's branch office is now located at 5 Bridge street with F. H. Leeds.

IN WIGGINVILLE.

Free tickets were given to members of the Mission Sunday school under 14 years of age, for the picnic which occurs next Saturday at Milligan's grove, Wilmington.

Mr. Henry Pearson of Roper street is making an addition to his dwelling.

George, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Colby of Mission place, died at his parents' home early Saturday morning.

Mrs. Malloy and Miss Lena Malloy are spending a few days in Providence, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maine and family spent Sunday at the beach.

Mr. Thomas E. Wilde, who has been on a visit to friends in Lynchburg, Va., is expected to arrive home next Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Wilde and sons, Harold and Linwood, have gone to Maine on a visit to Mrs. Wilde's mother.

Mrs. McGurn at Hampstead street, who was prostrated by the heat some two weeks ago, is much improved and is able to be about.

Major Dana Saunders continues to improve in health.

Mr. George Dickson of Providence, R. I., was the guest of his brother, Mr. William Dickson, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Wright is enjoying a vacation at Crompton, R. I.

Mr. William Littlehale of Dayton street is erecting a dwelling in Pawtucketville.

POLICE SERGEANT

WAS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT IN THE LEG.

BOSTON, Aug. 1.—Sergt. Herbert Gordon of the Cambridge police force was accidentally shot in the leg at roll call at station 2 yesterday. The 12 members of the relief who were standing in line had a narrow escape from injury.

The men were standing at attention for inspection. Capt. James E. Murray passed along the line and looked at the back, keys, billy and revolver of each man. Sergt. Gordon was at the head of the line, and, as he started to place his revolver back in his pocket, the weapon slipped from the holster and fell to the floor.

There was an explosion and Sergt. Gordon fell.

Several of the men jumped to his assistance and lifted him, placing him on the table in the guard room. Capt. Murray telephoned for Dr. Brousseau and for Dr. Albert E. Norris.

In the meantime, Lieut. Conry and several of the men were removing Gordon's clothing in an effort to find the wound and stop the flow of blood.

When the physicians arrived they probed for the bullet, but could not locate it. The point of entrance was near the knee-cap on the inner side of the left leg. The sergeant was taken to the Cambridge hospital and during the evening the ball was located by means of the X-ray. Evidently it had struck the bone of knee, and glanced upward, stopping several inches above, in the fleshy part of the leg.

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LABOR DAY PARADE

DANIEL MONAHAN, CHOSEN CHIEF MARSHAL.

Trades and Labor Council Elected Officers

At a meeting of the Trades and Labor council yesterday afternoon Daniel Monahan of the Building Laborers was unanimously chosen chief marshal of the Labor Day parade and Frank Simonds of the Typographical union was elected general manager of the day's observances. James F. Gilligan of the Leather Workers was elected chief of staff and Michael Dugnan of the Spinners marshal of the Trades and Labor division.

It was decided to have sports on the Fair Grounds during the afternoon of Labor day and there will be an entertainment at the Fair Grounds in the evening. There will be speech making by prominent local and out-of-town speakers.

The meeting yesterday was largely attended and the delegates seemed very enthusiastic relative to arrangements for the observance of Labor Day. Hoo'ns will be erected at the Fair Grounds and the committee promises a varied assortment of attractions including a bicycle race by electric light. There will be no admission charge to the grounds. Miss Annie McMullin will have charge of the space to be bought at the grounds.

TRAIN HELD UP

Passengers Lined Up and Robbed

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 1—A train crew which has just arrived with a light engine from Santa Rosa reports that Rock Island passenger train No. 4, which left El Paso Saturday morning at 7 o'clock, was held up near Tucumcari, N. M., and robbed. The passengers were lined up and their valuables were taken from them. Then the express and mail cars were uncoupled from the train and run about two miles up the track, and thtre dynamited and robbed.

The robbery was reported at Logan, a small station some distance from Tucumcari, by one of the passengers who escaped the robbers. At the headquarters of the El Paso & Northeastern railroad the news of the train robbery has received partial confirmation, but the officials say they can learn nothing definite, as the holdup occurred off their division.

The dispatchers in this city, while admitting a knowledge of the reported robbery, profess to know no particulars.

You can visit Old Orchard and enjoy a day at the beach via the Boston & Maine railroad at a round trip rate of $1.50 on August 11th.

ZION CRICKET TEAM

HELD LAWN PARTY IN WIGGINVILLE.

The annual lawn party of the Zion Cricket club was held Saturday afternoon and evening on the club grounds in Wigginville and there was a large representation of the club together with hundreds of friends of the members.

The feature of the afternoon's entertainment was a cricket match between the Zions and the Lawrence club, the visiting team winning by a score of 37 to 34.

In the evening the entertainment consisted of instrumental music and singing by the Apollo quartet, while McElroy's orchestra furnished music for dancing.

The committees in charge were made up as follows:

General committee—A. J. Wilmot, A. Hindle, Jr., T. Hoyle, R. Barlow and H. Maden.

Music—W. Thatcher, J. Wilmot.

Lighting—Hoyle, Maden, Barlow, Anderton, Bury, Matthews, Woodcock, Fielding, Walton, Logan, Bailey and Nelson.

Refreshments—Whitworth, Croft, Jr., Chapman, Grimrod, Nelson, Woodcock, Matthews, Fielding, Beaumont and Whitworth.

Grounds—Clegg, Tickles, Carhuthers, Ingham, Hindle, Entwistle, Crosby and Nelson.

FIRE ALARM

BLAZE IN A HOUSE ON AGAWAM STREET.

An alarm from box 151 at 5.45 o'clock last evening summoned a portion of fire department to a blaze in the kitchen and sink room of the house occupied by John Miller at 140 Agawam street. During the absence of the occupants of the house the blaze got started in some unaccountable manner in the sink room and spread to the kitchen and both rooms were badly burned before the alarm was sent in.

Saturday evening one of the companies responded to a telephone alarm for a fire on the Aiken street dump.

A good time! August 11th excursion to Old Orchard beach via the Boston & Maine railroad. $1.50 round trip.

FIFTY INJURED

Trolley Cars Collided in New York

THE BRAKES FAILED TO WORK PROPERLY

Motorman Buried Under the Wreck

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Fifty passengers were injured, 11 of them seriously and one possibly fatally, in a collision between a runaway Mt. Vernon trolley car and a Yonkers trolley car at Woodlawn, near 234th street, at 11 o'clock last night.

Matthew Crawfield, motorman of the Mt. Vernon car, is the most seriously injured. He was buried under the wreckage of the two cars and crushed.

Both were open cars filled with holiday crowds. Motorman Crawfield of the Mt. Vernon car was bringing his car into the city from the Yonkers line, when he started down the hill in McLean avenue toward 234th street.

The hill is half a mile long and very steep, and at the bottom the northbound track had been removed to make place for sewer construction and the cars are run on a switch to permit them to pass each other at the crossing. It is understood among the car crews that the south-bound car is to rest on the switch until the north-bound car has passed.

Crawfield's car was tearing down the hill, when, at 235th street, he threw on the brakes to slow down. To his consternation he discovered that the brakes did not work.

Motorman De Frank of the Yonkers car threw on his reversing lever, but before the forward motion of his car had stopped the Mt. Vernon car had crossed the switch and crashed full speed into his car.

De Frank had time to jump. Crawfield stuck to his post and as his car telescoped through the other, he went down and out of sight under the wreckage.

All the passengers aboard the two cars were thrown from their seats. Many of them were caught under the falling roofs and the splinters and were unable to move. Others were sent spinning to the sides of the road. Those uninjured sprang to their feet and rushed to the aid of the imprisoned ones.

STILL UNIDENTIFIED

NOBODY KNOWS THE MAN TAKEN FROM THE RIVER.

The body of the man found in the Merrimack river near the Dracut and Methuen line Friday morning still lies at the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons in Market street awaiting identification. A number of people have called to view the remains, but as yet no one has identified the man. A number of people who called thought that the face was familiar and that they had met the man in their travels some place, but no further clue has been furnished.

Mr. Peter Maguire of the Trolley Rip company which plays at Lakeview theatre the week after next was a visitor in this city yesterday. "Pete" is well known in Lowell as he played opera at the Lakeview theatre last season and the season before.

RIOT IN CHICAGO

Non-Union Man Was Stabbed and Killed

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Both the packers and the strikers spent Sunday in strengthening any weak spots that could be found in their defences preparatory to their week of effort to bring their opponents to terms. Notwithstanding that it was Sunday, all the plants were operated during the forenoon in order to get rid of the live stock that had been left over from last week. The remainder of the day was spent by the employers in installing new men in the strikers' places and arranging many of the small details which had been overlooked last week during the heat of the conflict. Over 1000 new men were added today to the number already at work in the different plants.

Among yesterday's arrivals were many skilled laborers, something the packers have been sadly in need of ever since the strike started. The employers have experienced little difficulty in procuring all the unskilled men necessary to operate the plants to their full capacity, but there has been a decided scarcity of skilled workmen, and for this reason the by-products of all animals killed have been let go to waste.

Commencing today three of the firms announced last night that they would be able to operate these divisions, enough skilled men having been procured in the past 48 hours to justify the belief that all the by-product plants will be in full operation by the end of the week.

The strike leaders spent the greater part of yesterday in preparing a statement to the public. In this statement the unionists explain their side of the controversy, declaring that it is the packers and not the men who are responsible for the present state of affairs in the packing industry. The public is asked to be patient with the men during the struggle for supremacy, it being declared by the union leaders that it would be impossible for the men to return to work under the conditions which existed before the strike was called, and that up to the present, the packers have shown no disposition to treat the strikers in a fair manner. According to this statement the men will stay on strike until their unions are disrupted or until the packers surrender.

The allied trades council met yesterday and considered arrangements for further supplying the families of the strikers with food. As a result of the meeting several more of these commissary stores will be opened this week in order to take care of all who are out of work and in need.

In a fight at the Nelson Morris plant yesterday afternoon between Andrew Simms and John Davis, both non-union workers from New Albany, Ind., the former was stabbed and killed.

The police and a mob of strike sympathizers clashed last night in the vicinity of the stock yards. The disturbance was caused by two non-union men who entered a saloon and asked for a drink where a crowd of the strikers' friends had congregated. When the bartender went to serve the strike breakers, the other men in the place protested and a fight followed. Several policemen ran to the saloon and succeeded in ejecting the attacking party. The doors of the place were barricaded, but the rioters being reinforced by several hundred of their friends, returned to renew the attack. A riot call was sent in, but before the patrol wagon with a squad of policemen arrived, the saloon had been partly wrecked. It was necessary by the police to fire a volley from their revolvers over the heads of the rioters before they desisted in their attack on the place. With exception of bruises and scratches received during the disturbance, no one was seriously injured.

HER OLD TRICKS

Nora Burke Arrested For Shoplifting

SHE HAS POLICE RECORD IN THIS CITY

Her Picture is in the Rogues Gallery

Nora Burke was arrested in Fitchburg last week on a charge of shoplifting. Nora is well known to the Lowell police and in reply to a circular letter which Supt. Moffatt received from the chief of police of Fitchburg, Mr. Moffatt gave the Fitchburg official a little insight into Nora's character. Nora's picture does its part in adorning the rogues' gallery at the police station and her record shows that on May 12, 1898, she was arrested in company with a man who said that his name was John Ware of Boston. Both had five counts of larceny against them and were found guilty on all. An appeal was made and Nora was held under $2500 bonds for the June session of the grand jury, where she was found guilty on all counts and sentenced to 2 years and 8 months in the house of correction. Ware was also found guilty and was given a 2 years and 10 months' sentence at the same institution.

The two worked together and employed methods which were out of the ordinary. It appears that they were in the habit of going about as man and wife and visiting various boarding houses, where they would hire rooms and while living in the house would ransack the rooms of other lodgers. Five counts of this kind were used as evidence against the two by the police at the time of the trial.

The Fitchburg Sentinel of Saturday has the following account of her operations in that vicinity:

Mrs. Nora Burke was hardly truthful when she told the police that the stolen goods caught on her at the time of her arrest in the Chamberlain, Huntress Co. store Friday morning, represented her first fall from grace, for further investigations are bringing to light other facts of the same nature.

Officer Whiting followed up a little clue this morning and located in Antone Carbonl's fruit stand at the corner of Main and Blossom streets, a bundle of dry goods stolen Friday morning from the Nichols & Frost and the Fitchburg Dry Goods store. On his first trip up from the depot, Friday morning, Officer Whiting observed in a casual glance a woman enter the fruit stand and ask if she might leave a bundle there. He thought nothing of it until this morning as he went by the place again and then it flashed over him that the woman looked something like Mrs. Burke.

Going into the stand he asked Tony's helper, Mike, if a woman had left a bundle there Friday morning, and received an affirmative reply. When asked who the woman was Mike declared it to be the woman who went down to the depot Friday afternoon in tow of the officer "who wears no clothes". To Officer Whiting that fixed Inspector Damon in plain clothes taking Mrs. Burke to Worcester, and he took care of the bundle.

At the station it was found to contain an undervest, two pairs of black stockings, three long white skirts, all from the Fitchburg Dry Goods store, and 3¼ yards of mohair, 3½ yards of grey serge and 6¾ yards of muslin, all from the Nichols & Frost store, and a pair of armlets. The goods were all identified with the exception of the armlets, Mrs. Keefe of the Fitchburg Dry Goods store being unable to claim them. The value of the goods from the Fitchburg store was about $2.75 and from the Nichols & Frost store $3.18.

When the news of Mrs. Burke's arrest and her previous connection with the Whalom Inn reached Deputy Sheriff Snow, Friday night, he began a hunt too, and in a few minutes had unearthed more trouble. Manager Livingstone of the inn said that Mrs. Burke had worked for him until three weeks ago. She was discharged at that time because Mr. Livingstone had good reason to think she was responsible for the loss of a $5 bill from his room in the hotel and also for a brush and comb and several other articles around the place.

Mr. Livingstone told Officer Snow that his first idea of anything wrong came when he saw from his room, one day, Mrs. Burke rumaging through the room of another woman in the hotel. From that room something was subsequently missed.

A piece of veiling which Mrs. Burke took from Nichols & Frost's store was found behind the counter at the Chamberlain, Huntress Co. store after her arrest Friday, she evidently having tried to get rid of some of her goods when she saw she was caught.

PRISONERS OF WAR

WHO SUFFERED IN REBEL PRISONS WILL PARADE.

A circular has been issued by the Union ex-Prisoners of War, Massachusetts association, announcing the fact that all of those who served in rebel prisons during the Civil war will parade in Boston on the day previous to the big Grand Army parade, Aug. 15. Lowell has but one member of this association, although there is another veteran in this city who served a term in the Salesbury, N. C., prison. The member of the association in this city is Mr. George M. Searle of 155 Westford street, who was a member of the 27th Massachusetts Infantry and served in Andersonville prison from June 12, 1864 to March 26, 1865. He will be present in Boston and participate in the parade.

The other ex-prisoner is John Garvey, a resident of this city. He is unaffiliated with the association. He served in the confederate prison at Salsbury, N. C.

The parade of ex-prisoners will start at 10 o'clock Monday morning, Aug 15. It will move over the same route laid out for the Grand Army on the following day. In the afternoon of that same day a camp fire will be held in Tremont temple. The president of the Massachusetts association is John L. Parker and the secretary is Charles H. Colgate.

Mrs. Rose McAleer and son of Chambers street have returned home after a pleasant trip to New York and the various watering places in that vicinity.

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The lot contains about 1400 square feet, and being on the corner has frontages on both streets, about 35 feet on L street and about 40 feet on Coburn street; there is good yard room, and it is all fenced in. It is finely situated in a neighborhood of such small homes. And I will make absolute sale of it to the highest bidder on that day.

Terms: $150 to be paid or secured with the auctioneer at time and place of sale.

BRIDGET O'NEIL,
Administratrix of Estate of John O'Neil.

JOHN J. and WM. A. HOGAN, Attys.

Saturday, August 6, at 3.30 o'clock

Absolute sale by public auction, two tenement house and about 2650 square feet of land at Nos. 979 and 981 Central street. Promptly at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of August 6th, I will offer to the public by auction sale, this neat two tenement house of eleven rooms, six upstairs and five downstairs. It is in first-class repair, has been recently painted, and is at present occupied by two very fine tenants, one of whom has been an occupant for about 14 years. The present rental received is about $240 a year, and it is always rented. It has separate front and rear entrances and is a good, substantial piece of really. The lot has a frontage on Central street of about 35 feet and runs in depth about 83 feet. It is all fenced in, is concreted around house and there is plenty of good yard room in rear. The location is a very good one, it being set between Cedar and Gorham streets on Central street, which is a road of the best smooth paving. It is quite handy to the city proper, and in a very respectable neighborhood.

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